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PART I.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Surveys.—The work heretofore carried out under this head has been a topographical survey of the whole province and a detailed survey of each coffee estate as well as of the *devara-kadu* (sacred forests) reserved forests and building sites. Final proposals for a Revenue Survey and Settlement of Coorg have been submitted for the sanction of the Government of India, and it is expected that the work will be taken in hand without further delay. A small party of native surveyors has also been employed on the work of carying out miscellaneous surveys at a cost of Rs. 4,428—6—0 as compared with Rs. 4,842—8—3 in the year 1885—86.

2. *Settlements and waste lands.*—The land revenue demand exhibits an increase of Rs. 22,529—2—9 over that of the preceding year. The increase is mainly due to the steps taken to assess *bane* lands (uplands attached to *wargs* or holdings) which were hitherto held free of assessment, and to the renewal of the leases for cardamom *malles* at enhanced rates on the expiry of the old leases.

The exports of coffee amounted to 3,663 tons. The price of coffee has risen from Rs. 24 per cwt. to Rs. 45 and that of cardamoms from Rs. 80 to Rs. 180 per cwt. The total area assessed for coffee was 80,570 acres, of which about 15,000 acres, situated on the steep ghat slopes and other uncongenial localities, are not under cultivation.

3. *Court of Wards.*—The information under this head recorded in paragraph 26 of the Commissioner's report is somewhat meagre. There were in all 44 estates under management, or two less than in the preceding year.

4. *Police.*—There was a slight increase in the number of cognizable cases reported, 68·79 per cent of the cases brought to trial resulted in convictions as compared with 43·23 in the year 1885—86. On the other hand, the percentage of the value of property recovered fell from 72·39 in 1885—86 to 55·37 in 1886—87.

5. *Criminal Justice.*—There has been a general increase in the number of cases reported, the number brought to trial and the number ending in convictions. The proportion of convictions to cases brought to trial is however still very low, being only 36 per cent, or the same as in the preceding year. The appellate work shows a steady tendency to increase. The number of sessions cases brought to trial rose from 22 in the year 1885 to 31 in the year 1886. Two sentences of death were confirmed by the Judicial Commissioner.

6. *Prisons.*—The Jail population (including Lock-ups) has decreased from 1,317 in the year 1885 to 1,126 in 1886, the daily average number of the two years being 105·61 and 104·45 respectively. The jail provides accommodation for 142 prisoners, but the superficial area within the enclosing wall is very limited, being only 6 square yards per prisoner. The peculiar situation of the jail however precludes the possibility of providing more space. The general health of the prisoners was much the same as in the previous year. There were 7 deaths or about 70 per mille. There were no escapes, and prison discipline appears to have been fairly maintained. The cost per head of average strength was Rs. 97—4—6, or Rs. 1—12—0 less than in 1885. A decrease is observable in the income from jail manufactures.

7. *Civil Justice.*—There was an increase of 272 in the number of suits instituted, and the number of cases pending at the close of the year was 75 less than in 1885. The total value of suits, despite the increase in the number of institutions, shows a decrease of 16,77,665. There were 2,887 applications for execution of decrees against 2,730 in the previous year, of which 2,577 were disposed of, leaving 310 cases pending at the close of the year. The percentage of appeals to appealable cases fell from 20·58 in 1885 to 13·95 in 1886. The general average duration of suits has risen considerably in the case of contested suits. In the Judicial Commissioner's Court only 4 regular appeals were instituted.

8. *Registration.*—There was a slight increase in the number of documents registered, but the value of the property involved shows a considerable falling off which was probably due to a few very large transactions during the previous year. The expenditure was less than in 1885—86.

9. *Municipal.*—The income of the five Municipalities exhibits an increase of Rs. 5,164—2—2 over that of the preceding year, and the expenditure a decrease of Rs. 2,011—10—7. The cash balance at the close of the year was Rs. 9,283—6—9. The average incidence of taxation was Rs. 0—12—6 and the average incidence per head of municipal income from all sources Rs. 1—9—2, the corresponding figures for 1885—86 being Rs. 0—8—6 and Rs. 1—4—2 respectively.

10. *Military.*—It is satisfactory to notice the success that has attended the formation of the corps of Volunteers, which now consists of 4 Companies (3 in Coorg and one in west Mysore) and consists of 9 officers and 204 men. The administration of the corps has been transferred from the Chief Commissioner of Coorg to the Madras Government.

11. *Production and Distribution.*—There has been again a slight increase of the area under cereal crops, while the area under coffee cultivation has apparently been extended by 8,236·38 acres. The increase is mainly attributable to coffee cultivation in *bane* lands having been brought under assessment.

12. The mortality among cattle was not so great as in 1885—86.

13. *Forests.*—The area of the reserved forests is 242 square miles, 3 square miles having been added during the year. The area of the protected forests amounts to about 349 square miles.

14. The result of fire protection has not been successful, the failures having been 19·28 per cent of the area on which protection was attempted, against 10 and 9 per cent respectively in the preceding two years. Timber operations were carried on on a more extensive scale than in 1885—86, the quantities brought into depots having been more than double that of the previous year; the quantity sold was not however much more than in 1885—86. A smaller quantity of sandalwood was sold, but the average price realized was Rs. 312 per ton or Rs. 76 more than in the preceding year. Considerable additions have been made to the teak, sandalwood and fuel plantations. The total area under plantation now amounts to 1,138 acres. The receipts, charges and surplus exceeded the figures of 1885—86, but the ratio of charges to receipts was also higher, being a little over 74½ per cent as compared with 68 per cent in 1885—86, which is partially attributable to the large increase in timber operations.

15. *Mines and Quarries.*—There is nothing of importance recorded under this head. Recent researches indicate traces of gold and silver in several localities, but

no practical result can be expected until the auriferous area has been surveyed by a trained mineralogist.

16. *Manufactures.*—The only manufactory in Coorg worthy of notice is the tile manufactory at Mercara, which turns out tiles of a superior quality and special mould, well adapted for a climate like that of Coorg; they are therefore in general demand.

17. *Public Works.*—The sanctioned budget allotment of the year viz., Rs. 1,28,469 under imperial and Rs. 21,000 under local funds, was not expended, resulting in a lapse of Rs. 21,042 and 3,652 respectively, due to the scarcity of labour, the supply of which, always a matter of difficulty, was more than usually felt during the year under report. The principal work in progress during the year was the opening out of the Virajendrapet-Periapatam road, on which, out of an allotment of Rs. 16,000, only Rs. 10,898 were expended. The expenditure was considerably less than the average expenditure of the previous three years. Making allowance for this difficulty however the year may be regarded as one of fair progress.

18. *Post Office and Telegraph*—Several needful changes were introduced during the year with a view to improving the efficiency of these departments and economising their working. The telegraph line was extended to Pollebetta in South Coorg to meet the requirements of the planters. There was a slight increase in the number of messages despatched from the three telegraph offices in Coorg. Savings Banks have been experimentally attached to two of the sub-post offices.

19. *Revenue and Finance—Imperial.*—The demand amounted to Rupees 7,12,005—7—10 or Rs. 70,821—14—5 in excess of the previous year, all items of revenue exhibiting an increase which is satisfactory. This sum added to the outstanding balance of the previous year brought up the total demand to Rupees 8,99,721—15—4, of which Rs. 7,00,184—6—6 were realized up to the 31st March 1887. The balance outstanding on that date included the two instalments of land revenue payable after the close of the financial year i. e., in April and May, and which amounted to Rs. 1,99,537—8—10. This balance was reduced at the close of July 1887 to Rs. 59,170—12—9, the greater part of which viz., Rs. 41,499—1—6, was on account of coffee assessment. The net receipts, after deducting refunds and charges against income, amounted to Rs. 4,57,394-13-1 against Rs. 4,50,619—7—8 in the previous year, while the expenditure charged against net income was Rs. 3,27,083—5—8 against Rs. 3,36,592—2—9. The net surplus was therefore Rs. 1,30,311—7—5 as compared with Rs. 1,14,027—4—11 in 1885—86.

20. *District Funds.*—The actual receipts during the year amounted to Rs. 37,997—8—6 leaving a balance of Rs. 978—7—8 at the close of the year for collection. The figures for the preceding year were Rs. 42,170-11-3 and Rs. 1,711-9-3 respectively. The expenditure was Rs. 25,747—15—1 against Rs. 34,914-9-2 in 1885—86. The decrease is mainly due to the diminished expenditure on works by the Public Works Department.

21. *Municipal Funds.*—The income including the cash balance was Rs. 29,133-9-2, while the expenditure amounted to Rs. 19,850—2—5, leaving a balance of Rs. 9,283—6—9 at the close of the year. The corresponding figures for 1885—86 were Rs. 26,538—8—0, Rs. 21,861—13—0, and Rs. 4,676—11—0 respectively. The reluctance of the minor Municipalities to spend money on sanitary improvements is still a noticeable feature in municipal administration. The outstanding balances remaining to be recovered in the five Municipalities continue unnecessarily large.

22. *Vital Statistics.*—The number of deaths is again in excess of that of births, while the ratio in both instances is abnormally low. This clearly points to defective registration, 88 per cent of the deaths were attributed to fever. There were 43 deaths from small pox and none from cholera.

23. *Medical Relief.*—The two medical institutions in Coorg afforded relief to 574 in-patients and 21,078 out-patients, or 77 and 8,596 respectively, in excess of the number treated in 1885.

24. *Vaccination.*—Although there was a considerable falling off in the number of persons vaccinated, the high percentage of successful operations has been maintained.

25. *Education.* The progress made in previous years has been fairly maintained, the marked decrease in the number of pupils attending the inferior vernacular schools being attributable to a special cause, viz., the introduction of fees for the first time into 44 of the 56 schools of this class. The total amount of fees realized was Rs. 6,763 or Rs. 1,486 more than in the previous year, of which Rs. 1,077 were collected in the vernacular schools referred to above.

It is satisfactory to notice that the majority of the schools are now provided with suitable houses built by rich and influential Coorgs, or by the aid of subscriptions raised among the villagers.

26. Mr. J. B. Lyall B. C. S. held the office of Chief Commissioner of Coorg up to the 19th March 1887, on which date he was relieved by Mr. D. Fitzpatrick C. S. I., who officiated as Chief Commissioner for the remainder of the official year.

27. Colonel T. G. Clarke continued to exercise the functions of Commissioner of Coorg. Mr. C. J. Weir M. C. S. acted as 1st Assistant Commissioner and District Magistrate up to the 3rd August 1886, when he made over charge to Mr. B. C. Leggatt, Deputy Collector, Malabar.

PART II.

I. PHYSICAL AND POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY.

1. Vide paragraphs 1 to 13 of the Report for 1882- 83.

POLITICAL.

2. For standing information under the several sections of this head, vide paraphs 15 to 41 of the Report for 1882—83.

CHANGES IN THE ADMINISTRATION.

3. Nil.

RELATIONS WITH TRIBUTARY STATES AND FRONTIER AFFAIRS.

4. Nil.

II. ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAND.

SURVEYS.

5. No regular survey is in progress; but proposals have been made for the introduction of a revenue survey which will deal with all land excluded from the special surveys of coffee estates, *Devarakadus*, forests, and building sites heretofore carried out.

6. A small staff of native surveyors is employed in survey work, in connection with the Madras Central Survey Office. The work done during the year under report, is as follows:—

One-hundred and ninety-nine blocks of land which were applied for or appropriated for cultivation, with an aggregate area of 829 acres, and 18 *Devarakadus* (sacred forests) with a total area of 147 acres have been demarcated and surveyed. Two special surveys were also made of lands with an area of 7 acres.

Eleven estates of an aggregate area of 956 acres according to original survey were re-surveyed in view to resigned portions being cut out, the total acreage of the retained portions being 111 acres. The above 956 acres, and 17 acres being area of blocks cancelled, have been deducted in fiscal statement E from the total area surveyed in previous years.

The work tested in the field consisted of 139 blocks of waste land of an area of 1,384 acres, 40 *Devarakadus* of an area of 104 acres, 8 special surveys of an area of 491 acres, and of 3 ghat forests with an area of 16,433 acres.

Much miscellaneous work, such as re-demarcation and inspection of estates for administrative and revenue purposes has also been done.

7. The work done in the Survey Office at Madras was as follows:—

Two-hundred and thirty maps of estates, *Devarakadus*, and blocks specially surveyed, of the aggregate area of 1,094 acres, were plotted on the scale of 16 and 32 inches to the mile. 121 maps of estates, 3 of *Devarakadus*, 1 of a Taluk and 4 of forests, together with an outline map of Coorg, have been lithographed, the number of copies struck off being 2,043; the 72 maps of the 4 forests were re-lithographed on the 4 inch scale.

One-thousand two-hundred and forty-six maps of estates, *Devarakadus*, *wargs*, taluks, forests, teakwood plantations &c. valued at Rs. 1,407 were supplied to the Chief Commissioner and other officers. No maps were sold during the year.

8. The final correction, compilation and revision of the taluk maps of Kiggatnad, Mercara, Padinalknad and Yedenalknad, are still pending owing to various causes connected with the rectification of boundaries. The district map approaches completion and will be published shortly.

9. Twelve forest maps have been prepared on the 4 inch scale and sent out for final examination in the field, and 7 are under preparation. The traverses of 5 ghat forests have closed and are being plotted.

10. The total survey charges amounted to Rs. 4,428—6—0 against Rs. 4,842—8—3 in the year previous.

SETTLEMENT AND WASTE LANDS.

11. 241·98 acres of waste lands were sold under the waste land rules and realized Rs. 11,466—15—6 inclusive of the value of timber which is credited to Forest revenue under "VC. Other sources." The average rate obtained inclusive of timber amounted to Rs. 47—6—0 per acre. Lands sold for building sites realized Rs. 3,250—14—1.

12. The land revenue demand under all heads amounted to Rs. 3,51,825—7—8 being a net increase of Rs. 22,529—2—9 over that of the preceding year. The details are exhibited for both years in the subjoined table.

	1885—86.			1886—87.			Increase.			Decrease.		
Jamma	61,856	10	0	61,872	6	0	15	12	0	..	...	...
Umbli	6,456	14	5	6,428	4	2	...	...	...	28	10	1
Sagu wet	80,997	5	10	81,775	5	8	777	15	10	...	...	...
,, dry	8,155	2	10	8,133	1	11	...	...	...	22	0	11
Jodi wet	6,161	7	10	6,150	15	6	...	..	...	10	8	4
,, dry	366	15	9	363	15	11	...	...	...	2	15	10
Garden lands	460	8	2	461	10	11	1	2	9	...	...	...
Total	1,61,455	0	8	1,65,185	12	1	794	14	7	64	3	2
Dhuli paddy tax	18,555	8	2	18,615	13	6	90	5	4	...	...	...
Mohatarfa paid by land holders ...	6,707	11	5	6,704	0	4	...	.	..	3	11	1
,, others ..	4,572	4	8	4,721	10	4	149	5	8	...	..	...
Coffee assessment	1,08,377	14	1	1,25,331	3	2	16,953	5	1	...	...	...
Cardamoms	20,910	4	0	25,502	8	6	4,592	4	6	...	...	...
School cess (plough tax)	5,717	9	11	5,731	7	9	16	13	10	...	...	..
Total.. ...	3,29,296	4	11	3,51,825	7	8	22,597	1	0	67	14	3
Deduct decrease	67	14	3	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Net increase.....	22,529	2	9	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...

13. The items of decrease are insignificant and call for no explanation. The principal items of increase fall under the heads of (1) *sagu* wet lands, (2) coffee assessment and (3) cardamom rents. The increase from *sagu* wet lands amounts to Rs. 777—15—10; of this a small sum has been derived from the confiscation of the *jamma* tenure on lands illegally alienated, viz. Rs. 54—8—0. The increase is chiefly obtained from waste lands brought under cultivation. The greater profits obtained from coffee cultivation led to the abandonment of wet cultivation to a large extent by the ryots. With the losses sustained from coffee of recent years, the ryots are showing symptoms of reverting to the cultivation of paddy (rice) lands.

14. The considerable addition of Rs. 16,953—5—1 under coffee assessment has resulted almost wholly from the measures taken during the year to assess coffee cultivation on *banes* or in uplands attached to *jamma* and *sagu wargas*. This cultivation has been carried on for several years past, and after a protracted discussion as to the mode of applying the assessment, rules were issued on the subject by the

late Chief Commissioner Mr. Lyall. These rules are contained in Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 324—C 166 dated 18th May 1885, and in Proceedings No. 1293—328 dated 15th July 1886. The rules as revised are as follow :—

I. *Coffee cultivation in bane attached to unalienated wargs, jamma or sagu.*—In *jamma* and *sagu banes*, 10 acres of coffee plantation should be excused from assessment; but, subject to the four provisos which follow, all coffee cultivation in excess of 10 acres should be assessed at full rates from date of order. The provisos are as follows :—

a. In the case of *jamma banes* coffee cultivation in excess of 10 acres should also be excused if it has been grown in primeval shade without felling of forest trees to open out the land;

b. In assessing coffee cultivation in unalienated *banes*, half or quarter rates, i. e. 1 rupee or 8 annas, may be used if the coffee is scattered and roughly planted, not in made garden but on forest land more or less uncleared;

c. Land in which coffee was planted but has died out, or in which the trees are beyond bearing may be excused from assessment if the *bane* holder has done his best to cut down or root out the coffee bushes and to restore the forest aspect of the land,

d. If it is found that two distinct and separate *banes* have been granted in former times to a holding of rice fields, shown in the shist papers as a single *warg*, 10 acres of coffee cultivation may be excused from assessment in both *banes* if the *warg* is a large one.

II. *Coffee cultivation in bane land alienated with the warg.*—Whether the *warg* was in such cases originally a *jamma* or a *sagu warg*, the whole area cultivated with coffee in the *bane* should be assessed at full rates from the date of the order of assessment. The Commissioner may, however, make an exception by special order in the case of a transfer of a complete *warg* and *bane* between genuine cultivating ryots, where the coffee cultivation is on a small scale and only subsidiary to the rice cultivation.

III. *Coffee cultivation in bane alienated apart from the warg.*—All coffee cultivation in such land should be assessed at full rates from the date of the order of assessment. Every kind of cultivation in such land is liable to assessment.

IV. *Special rule to allow of simplification of tenure in case of alienated warg and bane land.*—In the case of alienated *warg* and *bane* land or *bane* land only, if a person having possession by purchase or other permanent deed of transfer of a large holding of such land wishes, for the sake of simplification of tenure, to have it assessed like a grant of waste land, the Commissioner may assess it accordingly if no loss of revenue to Government is involved. In such cases the whole area, waste and cultivated, will be assessed at full coffee rates, but progressive assessment as by the waste land rules, with effect from the date of first alienation of the land, may be substituted, if the holder desires and agrees to pay up all arrears by that calculation. On the assessment being accepted a title deed may be granted in the form used for grants under the waste land rules; but full property in trees, including right to sell reserved kinds without payment of seignorage, will not be conveyed, unless the holder pays for the standing trees at a valuation.

V. *Fictitious wargs and banes.*—These are new holdings, and are sufficiently described in clause (5) paragraph 11 of the Proceedings of the 18th May 1885. They are not to be treated as genuine *wargs* and *banes*, but are to be recognized as what they really are, that is waste land obtained for coffee cultivation, and the tenure is to be changed. The whole area, cultivated and uncultivated, is to be assessed at full coffee land rates with effect from the date of the order of assessment; but if the holder asks for the progressive assessment allowed by the waste land rules, he may get it if he agrees to assessment from date of first grant of *warg* and *bane*, and to pay all arrears due by such calculation.

15. The assessment has been imposed on a rough and unprofessional measurement of the lands under cultivation, and it is probable that a survey measurement will add to the revenue from this source.

16. The third main item of increase is from cardamom rents. On the expiry last year of the leases of the cardamom plots or *malles* granted in 1879, fresh leases have been granted for periods of 7, 14 and 21 years respectively. The settlement was made, after calling for tenders in which it was open to all persons to compete. The object was kept in view of granting the leases to the local and resident ryots provided reasonable tenders were offered. The leases realized the following sums annually :—

For 1st period of 7 years	..	..	..	Rs	23,673—2—2
,, 2nd do	..	..	..	,,	28,041—2—2
,, 3rd do	..	..	..	,,	31,827—2—2

being an average of Rs. 27,847 annually, as compared with an annual average of Rs. 21,260 realized under the former leases.

17. Prior to the British assumption of Coorg, the revenue from this source in 1831—32 (the earliest year for which figures are obtainable) amounted to Rs. 35,803. In 1834—35, the year of the conquest, the revenue amounted to Rs. 7,348, and rose gradually to Rs. 33,842 in 1868—69, but owing to some lands having been granted for coffee cultivation as well as to other causes, the revenue fell during the next period of leases, and in 1875—76 amounted to Rs. 19,564. The price of the commodity is fluctuating and this circumstance makes the cultivation too speculative to admit of any expectation that the revenue will ever develop largely.

18. There are in addition the *jamma malles* which are permanently leased from Government at a low fixed rent. The revenue from these amounted to Rs. 1,537-14-4.

GOVERNMENT ESTATES.

19. Nil.

WARDS' ESTATES.

20. Out of 46 wards registered in the Court of the Commissioner and District Judge, 5 were discharged on attaining their majority and one died. 4 estates were taken in charge by the Court during the year. The number of the wards' estates under control of the Court at present is 44.

III. PROTECTION.

21. Vide paragraph 55 of the Report for 1882—83.

COURSE OF LEGISLATURE.

22. The following Acts and Regulations were extended to Coorg during the year under report:—

(1) The Kazis' Act XII of 1880.

(2) The Northern India Ferries Act XVII of 1878, as amended by Act III of 1886, with the exception of the 2nd and 3rd paragraphs of section 1 and sections 2, 7 A, 17, and 36.

(3) Bengal Regulation III of 1818, Act XXXIV of 1850 and Act III of 1858, relating to state prisoners.

(4) The Lunatic Asylums Act XXXVI of 1858 as amended by Act XVIII of 1886.

23. The Chief Commissioner extended the operation of section 34 of Police Act V of 1861 to the towns of Mercara, Virajendrapet, Frasorpet, Kodlipet, Amatti, Siddapur and Gonikopal on the 7th June 1886 and to Somvarpet on the 7th March 1887. (Vide Chief Commissioner's Notification Nos. 38 and 10 respectively.)

24. A special Regulation for Coorg (No. IV of 1886) was also passed by the Governor General in Council under the provisions of the 33rd of Vic. cap. 3 section 1, to validate certain decrees and orders made by Parpattigars in Coorg.

POLICE.

25. The following table exhibits the number of cognizable cases reported through the police and to the Magistrate direct during the years 1885 and 1886:—

Class.	Offences.	1885.	1886.	Increase.	Decrease.
I.	Offences against the State, public tranquility, safety and justice	20	3	...	17
II.	Serious offences against person	61	70	9	...
III	Do against property	54	64	10	...
IV.	Minor offences against person	81	25	...	56
V.	Do against property	441	469	28	...
VI.	Other offences not specified above	83	122	39	...
		740	753	86	73

26. Of the 753 cognizable cases reported 214 were struck off as false leaving 539 cases for disposal, to which must be added 41 cases pending before the Courts from previous years. Convictions were obtained in 399 cases, and 181 cases ended in acquittal or discharge.

27. During the year, 42 non-cognizable cases were referred to the Police by the Magistracy for investigation as against 35 in 1885. Of these 4 were struck off as false, convictions were obtained in 9 cases, 27 ended in discharge or acquittal, and 2 were pending at the close of the year.

28. Five-hundred and thirty-one persons were arrested by the Police during the year as against 697 in 1885. Of the above number 447 were brought to trial and 71 were released without being brought before a Magistrate as against 591 and 99 respectively in 1885. The number of persons convicted out of those sent up by the Police was 267 or 56·80 per cent as against 332 or 53·89 per cent in 1885.

29, The value of property reported to have been stolen was Rs. 2,931 and the value of that recovered was Rs. 1,623 as against Rs. 5,303 and Rs. 3,839 respectively in 1885. The percentage of value of property recovered to value of that lost decreased from 72·39 in 1885 to 55·37 in the year under report.

30. There was no change in the strength of the Police force, but the cost of maintenance rose from Rs. 23,282 in 1885 to 25,680. The increase is due chiefly to the sick allowance paid to the late Police Inspector and to the supply of badges, warm clothing, boat cloaks, turbands and sashes to the police at a cost of Rs. 2,239 while only summer clothing costing Rs. 911 was supplied in 1885.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

31. The number of criminal Courts remained the same, but the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd class were conferred on two 3rd class Magistrates; the number and grades of the several Courts stood, therefore, as follows:—

1 Judicial Commissioner's Court.
1 Sessions Judge's Court.
1 District Magistrate's Court.
1 1st. Class Magistrate's Court.
8 2nd Class Magistrates' Courts.
11 3rd Class Magistrates' Courts.
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32. The subjoined statement exhibits the number of offences reported, the number of cases returned as true, the number of cases brought to trial, the number of persons acquitted, and the number convicted, as compared with the similar figures of the year 1885.

Year.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases dismissed without issue of process.	Number of cases returned as true.	Pending from last year.		Number brought to trial.		Total.		Number acquitted.		Number convicted.		Pending.		Ratio of offences to population
				Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	
1886 ...	3,372	289	1,945	35	66	1,866	3,221	1,901	3,287	1,159	2,208	696	980	42	94	·17
1885 ...	2,579	196	1,786	17	38	1,749	2,975	1,766	3,013	1,079	1,930	644	1,002	35	66	·14
Increase.	793	93	159	18	28	117	246	135	274	80	278	52	...	7	28	·3
Decrease.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	...	...	...

The increase in the number of cases reported is chiefly under Act XIII of 1859, and these form nearly one-half of the total number of cases reported.

33. The percentage of convictions and acquittals to number of cases reported and those brought to trial is shown in the subjoined statement :—

Year.	Percentage of convictions to cases reported.	Percentage of acquittals to cases reported.	Percentage of convictions to cases brought to trial.	Percentage of acquittals to cases brought to trial.
1886	20	34	36	62
1885	24	41	36	61
Increase ...	...	...	...	1
Decrease ...	4	7	...	...

34. The following statement shows the classification of offences brought to trial :—

Year.	Against State and public justice.	Against the person.	Against property.	Other offences under the Indian Penal Code.	Offences under Special and Local laws.	Total.
1886 ...	87	543	427	287	522	1,866
1885 ...	39	604	453	216	454	1,766
Increase ...	48	...	...	71	68	100
Decrease ...	...	61	26	..	...	...

35. The number of European British subjects brought to trial was 7 or the same as in the year 1885. Five of these were tried for petty charges of violence, one for theft and one for mischief, with the result that five were convicted and sentenced to pay fines and the rest acquitted or discharged.

36. In the Court of Sessions the number of sessions cases brought to trial rose from 22 in the year 1885 to 31 in 1886. The percentage of cases in which convictions were obtained (over 50 per cent) was greater, while the average duration was shorter than in the previous year.

37. The number of appeals instituted in the Courts of the Sessions Judge and of the District Magistrate rose from 76 in 1885 to 89, and the percentage of appeals to appealable cases was 19·40 against 15·20 in 1885 ; of the 91 appeals (including 2 pending from 1885) one was rejected, the sentence of the lower Court was confirmed in 48 cases, reduced or altered in 6, and reversed in 28, leaving 8 appeals pending at the close of the year.

38. In the Judicial Commissioner's Court the number of appeals fell from 12 to 5 ; but the number of cases for revision proportionately increased as compared with the results of the previous year, being 18 against 9. One appeal was rejected, the sentences appealed against were confirmed in two cases, and reduced or otherwise modified in the remaining two. The average duration of each appeal was 17 days against 52·25 days in 1885.

39. Two cases were submitted by the Sessions Judge for confirmation of sentence of death. The sentences in both cases were confirmed.

40. Of the 18 revision cases, the sentences or orders of the lower Court were confirmed in 11 cases, enhanced in 1, reduced or altered in 1, reversed in 3, and the proceedings quashed in 1. In one case the person concerned died before the case could be disposed of.

41. The total receipts of the Courts amounted to Rs. 62,827—3—9 or Rs. 2,517—3—9 in excess of the income of the previous year. The total expenditure was 71,333—5—6½ against Rs. 70,997—3—11½ in 1885.

PRISONS.

42. The statistics of the jail population (including lock-ups) in Coorg during the years 1882 to 1886 inclusive are exhibited in the following table :—

	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
Total number	1,181	1,159	1,175	1,317	1,126
Daily average number	102·28	115·94	94·96	105·61	104·45

43. The number of convicts, under-trial and civil prisoners, in the Mercara Jail according to the general summary statement is 604, against 695 in the year 1885; but the actual figures are only 521 and 599 respectively, the difference viz., 83 and 96, representing the under-trial prisoners who were subsequently convicted and thus counted over twice in the general summary.

44. Of the 717 under-trial prisoners in the jail and lock-ups, 308 were convicted and 394 released, the corresponding figures for the year 1885 being 890, 161 and 713 respectively.

45. There has been a decrease in the number of offences against jail discipline, which was only 47 against 64 in the year 1885 and 49 in 1884. The ratio of corporal punishment to total number of punishments viz. 47, was 19·14 against 12·50 in 1885. Six convicts were released during the year under the mark system. The following statements show the nature of the offences and the punishments awarded :—

Nature of Crime.	No. of Prisoners.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	
Smoking or having possession of forbidden articles	18	...	18
Offences relating to work	8	...	8
Other offences against prison discipline	21	...	21
Total.....	47	...	47

Nature of punishments.

Solitary confinement.	Reduced diet.	Solitary confinement with reduced diet.	Corporal punishment.	Other punishments.	Total.
7	8	3	9	20*	47

*Other punishments	Warned	11
	Forfeiture of marks	9
		20

46. The general health of the prisoners was much the same as in the year 1885. There were in all 7 deaths or about 70 per mille, the daily average sick being 5·45 against 5·27 in the preceding year.

47. The total expenditure of the Jail amounted to Rs. 9,417—12—6 as compared with Rs. 9,406—15—0 in the year 1885, the total cost per head of average strength being Rs. 97—4—6 against Rs. 99—0—6. The cost of rations was Rs. 41—12—1 as compared with Rs. 41—8—10 in the preceding year.

48. The total income from jail manufactures amounted to Rs. 8,052 or Rs. 1,119 less than in the previous year. This gives an average of Rs. 50—4—7 per head of average number of prisoners sentenced to labour and of Rs. 117—4—6 per head of average number actually employed on jail manufactures. The corresponding figures for 1885 were Rs. 66—11—0 and Rs. 147—4—7 respectively. After deducting expenditure on material required for manufacture the net profit amounted to Rs. 3,310—14—0 against Rs. 3,616—3—0 in the preceding year.

49. The total number of prisoners confined during the year in the 26 lock-ups was 522 or a daily average of 7·67 against 622 and 10·63 respectively in the preceding year. The cost of diet was Rs. 35—1—6 per head as compared with Rs. 41—5—8 in 1885.

CIVIL JUSTICE.

50. There was no change either in the number or constitution of the Civil Courts in the Province, except that the Munsiffs were invested with powers to entertain and dispose of insolvency applications. The distribution of work between different Courts in Coorg also remained unaltered.

51. The subjoined statement exhibits the number of suits instituted in the several classes of Courts during the year 1886, as compared with those filed in the year 1885:—

Class of Courts.	1885.	1886.	Increase.	Decrease.
Parpattigars' Courts	297	546	249	...
Subedars' Courts	1,272	1,159	..	113
Munsiffs' Courts	933	1,073	140	...
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	96	60	...	36
1st do do do	31	59	28	...
District Judge's Court	10	14	4	...
Total.....	2,639	2,911	421	149
Net Increase.....	...	...	272	...

52. Including 239 cases of the year 1885, there were 3,150 cases for disposal, of which 2,986 were disposed of by the various Courts, leaving 164 pending at the end of the year, as shown in the following statement.

	1885.		1886.	
	No.	Percentage.	No.	Percentage.
Parpattigars' Courts	270	10·53	541	18·36
Subedars' Courts	1,250	48·75	1,159	38·81
Munsiffs' Courts	921	35·92	1,158	38·78
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	88	3·43	59	1·97
1st do do do	25	·97	55	1·84
District Judge's Court	10	·39	14	·46
Total.....	2,564	100	2,986	100
Pending cases.....	239	...	164	...

53. The proportion of uncontested to contested suits was 63·93 against 77·37 in the year 1885, while the percentage decided in favour of plaintiffs in contested cases was 81·74 against 72·75 in 1885. The average duration of suits was 65 days in contested and 29 days in uncontested cases against 53 and 31 respectively in the year 1885.

54. The number of miscellaneous applications for disposal rose from 680 in the year 1885 to 833. 785 applications were disposed of, leaving 48 pending at the close of the year.

55. There were 2,887 applications for execution of decrees, including 271 cases pending from the previous year, the corresponding number for the year 1885 being 2,730. Of these 2,577 were disposed of, leaving 310 cases pending at the close of the year.

56. The number of appeals during the year fell considerably, the percentage of appeals filed to appealable cases being 13·95 against 20·58 in the previous year. 91 appeals were disposed of as shown in the subjoined table, leaving 11 pending at the close of the year.

Particulars.	1885.		1886.	
	No.	Percentage.	No.	Percentage.
Dismissed (conviction upheld)	66	50·38	45	49·45
Modified	23	17·56	30	32·97
Reversed	21	16·03	12	13·18
Remanded...	9	6·87	1	1·10
Dismissed for default	12	9·16	3	3·30
Total.....	131	100·00	91	100·00

57. In the Judicial Commissioner's Court there were 4 regular appeals, including one pending from the previous year.

The average duration of appeals was 52·89 days against 29 days in 1885.

58. There were 12 miscellaneous appeals, of which 11 were disposed of, the orders being upheld in 4 cases, and reversed in 3, while 4 were dismissed for default or otherwise. In 1885, there were 18 such appeals in which half the judgments appealed against were confirmed.

All these were disposed of during the year, 3 of them being contested. The decision of the lower Court was confirmed in two cases and modified in the remaining two. The average duration of each appeal was 97·50 days against 39·60 days in 1885. The high average duration of each appeal is due to one case which came up twice for hearing, before the Judicial Commissioner's Court, on the second occasion after a remand to the lower Court.

59. Eight second appeals were instituted in the Judicial Commissioner's Court during the year, to which must be added 10 pending from the previous year. The decisions of the lower Courts were confirmed in 15 cases, reversed in 2 and dismissed for default in 1. The average duration of each second appeal is much lower than in the year 1885, the figures being 54·27 and 95·10 respectively.

REGISTRATION.

60. The number of documents registered during the year was 695 or 101 more than in the previous year, while the fees realized thereon amounted to Rs. 4,394—8—0 or Rs. 39—8—0 over last year's figures. The value of property involved was, however, only Rs. 12,92,930—0—0 or Rs. 99,675 less than in the year 1885—86. There was an increase of Rs. 6,992 in the value of immovable property and a decrease of Rs. 1,06,667 in that of movable property, giving the net decrease as shown above.

61. The average time taken to complete the registration of documents rose from 1 day and 4½ hours in 1885—86 to 1 day and 13½ hours.

62. The receipts for the year amounted to Rs. 4,394—8—0 and the expenditure to Rs. 2,025—14—3, the percentage of expenditure to income being thus 46·10 against 54·56 in the year 1885—86.

63. The following table shows the general results of the operations of the department during the year :—

Province.	Number of registrations per thousand of population.	Percentage of increase or decrease of total number of compulsory or optional registrations over previous year.				Percentage of registrations affecting immoveable property to total number of registration during the year.	Percentage to total number of registrations during the year.		Percentage of increase or decrease of—						Number of offices not self-supported.
		Compulsory.		Optional.			Compulsory.	Optional.	Receipts.		Expenditure.		Surplus.		
		Increase.	Decrease.	Increase	Decrease.				Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	
Coorg	3·89	17·31	...	25·00	...	80·00	69·20	10 79	0·89	...	...	17·33	19·71	..	None.

MUNICIPAL.

64. The subjoined statement shows the state of the finances of all the Municipalities in Coorg :—

	Mercara.			Virajendrapet.			Fraserpet.			Somvarpet.			Kodlipet.			Total.		
Balance on 1st April 1886 ...	- 1,432	6	0	1,029	10	9	904	5	5	1,996	9	8	429	15	9	2,928	3	7
Receipts, 1886—87...	14,459	4	2	9,865	15	5	493	11	10	733	9	11	652	12	3	26,205	5	7
Total.....	13,026	14	2	10,895	10	2	1,398	1	3	2,730	3	7	1,082	12	0	29,133	9	2
Expenditure in 1886—87 ...	10,486	9	5	7,849	14	5	420	7	5	668	11	10	424	7	4	19,850	2	5
Cash balances on 31st March 1887 ...	2,540	4	9	3,045	11	9	977	9	10	2,061	7	9	658	4	8	9,283	6	9

65. The balance at credit of the Mercara Municipality on the 1st April 1886 is shown above as minus Rs. 1,432—6—0, while the closing balance on 31st March 1886 was given in the report of the preceding year as 316—1—5. This is due to the municipal funds having been debited, under instructions from the Comptroller of India Treasuries, several months after the close of the year 1885—86, with the sum of Rs. 1,748—7—5, being the cost of medicines supplied to the local dispensary in that year.

66. *Mercara.*—The receipts exceeded those of the previous year by Rs. 4,556—11—5. The increase is partly due to the collection of arrears and partly to the general prosperity of the country. The expenditure rose to Rs. 1,090—5—6.

67. *Virajendrapet.*—The income of this Municipality also exceeded that of the previous year by Rs. 1,367—13—0, but the expenditure shows a falling off of Rs. 3,028—3—7.

68. *Fraserpet.*—The receipts fell short of those of 1885—86 by Rs. 424-15-8. The decrease is due to a portion of the demand having been paid in the previous year and to the collection of arrears in that year. The demand for the two years was nearly the same. There was a decrease in expenditure of Rs. 23—6—0.

69. *Somavarpet.*—The receipts in this Municipality fell off by Rs. 565—1—1. The expenditure also was Rs. 73—0—2 less than in the previous year.

70. *Kodlipet.*—The receipts exceeded those of the preceding year by Rs. 69—10—6, and the expenditure by Rs. 22—9—8.

71. The average incidence of taxation per head of population in the five Municipalities of Coorg was Rs. 0—12—6 and the average incidence per head of municipal income from all sources Rs. 1—9—2. The corresponding figures for 1885-86 were Rs. 0—8—6 and Rs. 1—4—2 respectively. The incidence has been hitherto calculated on the actual collections which included arrears of the previous year, a method calculation which is misleading. In future, the incidence will be calculated on the amount of the demand.

MILITARY.

72. During the year under report the Coorg Rifle Volunteer Corps has increased in numbers and several important changes have taken place.

73. A second company has been enrolled in South Coorg and a company has also been raised from the coffee planting district of west Mysore District. Lieutenant Colonel R. E. Cox was appointed commandant of the Coorg and Mysore Volunteer Rifle Corps, and a 3rd Sergeant Instructor appointed.

74. The administration of the Corps has been transferred from the Resident and Chief Commissioner of Coorg to the Madras Government.

75. The corps consisted at the close of the year of 9 officers and 204 Rank and File.

76. The following shows the existing distribution of the corps :—

Commandant—Head-Quarters at Mercara.
Lieut.-Col. R. E. Cox. M. I. G. List, Mercara.
Adjutant—Lieut. L. G. Oliver, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Head-Quarters Mercara.

North Coorg Company.
Head-Quarters at Mercara, with Sergeant Instructor W. Burton.
Captain F. Mangles—furlough to England for one year.
Lieut. E. P. Brown.
Lieut. W. H. Scott.

South Coorg Company.
Head-Quarters Pollebetta with Sergeant Instructor R. White.

No. 1 Company.
Captain J. Logan.
Lieut. A. L. Alexander.
Lieut. C. G. Maclean.

No. 2 Company.
Captain J. Chisholm.
Lieut. J. S. Gerrard.
Lieut. W. B. Riddock.

West Mysore Company.
Head-Quarters Chickmaglur, with Sergeant Instructor F. Howard.
Captain D. S. Brett, late Lieut. H. M. 43rd O. Light Infantry.
Lieut. A. F. Clifford.
Lieut. F. Urguhart.
Revd. F. N. Crowther B. A., Chaplain of Mercara, Honorary Chaplain of the Corps.

MARINE.

Nil.

IV. PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

AGRICULTURE.

77. The extent of land under cultivation with rice and other food grains shows a steady increase, being 75,172 acres as compared with 74,905 acres in the previous year. There is but little arable land in the province which has not been occupied. The exceptions are in the Kiggatnad Taluk where the population in the southern portion is sparse, and in the north-east district outside the "barriers" which mark Coorg proper, where the land has been thrown out of cultivation from failure of the old irrigation works which have not been restored.

78. The area of land cultivated with coffee exhibits the considerable increase of 8236·38 acres ; the figures for the year under report being 80,570·38 acres as compared with 72,334 acres in 1885—86. This increase arises largely from the inclusion in the revenue accounts for the first time of the *banes* which have been roughly measured and assessed at coffee rates.

79. In para 77 of the report for last year, the acreage of these *banes* was estimated at 11,000 acres. The area since brought to book under this head is 8,568 acres, assessed at Rs. 16,534—3—7. The assessed acreage is probably below the actual area liable to assessment, but in the absence of a professional survey, the measurement of these gardens is a matter of difficulty, and must necessarily be imperfect. A regular survey of these lands is indispensable in the interests of the State, as well as indeed of the owners themselves.

80. Inclusive of the *bane* cultivation now included, the area of land now held by Europeans and Natives respectively is as follows :—

	Acres.
Europeans	39,661·26
Natives	40,909·12
	80,570·38

The return for 1885—86 gives the following :—

	Acres.
Europeans	36,315
Natives	36,019
	72,334

making the net increase in area 8,236·38 acres. Out of the total of 80,570 acres in occupation, it is computed that 52,368 acres comprise the area of plants in bearing, but these figures are subject to some modification, for they include several estates on the Sampaji Ghats and Forests in which the plants after reaching maturity have from various causes become unproductive, and in consequence of which the assessment has been reduced for a period of 7 to 10 years by two-thirds or half according to circumstances.

81. The actual area in bearing may be taken approximately at 36,700 acres, and computing the out-turn of coffee at 3,663 tons, the yield per acre will be found to be very nearly 2 cwts. per acre.

EXPERIMENTAL CULTIVATION.

82. *Patna paddy.*—The endeavours which have been made by a planter for several years to naturalize this grain have failed, and been finally abandoned. The quality of the rice was considered good, but no sale could be found for it and the yield of straw was short and scant.

83. Favourable reports have been received regarding the plants of *Erythroxylon Coca*, *St. Michael Orange* and *Jamaica Lemon*, which have been imported and distributed.

LABOR.

84. It was mentioned in last year's report that owing to the economy introduced in the working of estates, rendered necessary by the low price of coffee then prevailing, the demand for estate labor had been reduced, and this had affected the regular supply. This state of things has continued and many planters have suffered from the scanty importation of labor from the Mysore country, whence the supply was formerly abundant. This has been partly compensated by an increased supply from Malabar and South Canara and on the whole, no serious inconvenience has been felt during the latter part of the year.

No change has taken place in the rates of wages.

LIVE STOCK.

85. The mortality among cattle during the past year is returned at 5,119 as compared with 5,776 in 1885—86. The maximum mortality in one month was attained in May, and this was also the case in the previous year. There is no herbage on the *bane* or uplands after February or often earlier, and the cattle are left to subsist with a scanty feed of straw at night. They are thus in a reduced condition when the first rains in May bring up the young grass upon which they feed voraciously often with fatal results. The heavy monsoon rains follow immediately, and the condition of the cattle thus reduced does not enable them to withstand the effects of cold, damp and exposure.

86. It is under such circumstances that silage would be invaluable, if the too often improvident ryot could be induced to see the advantage of providing for his cattle in this manner. An European Planter in North Coorg, who keeps a large number of cattle, maintains them during the hot months entirely from the contents of two silos which he has constructed in his estate; and even in the past season when the difficulties were aggravated by an unusually protracted drought, the mortality was inconsiderable.

Steps were taken early in 1886 to make known to the people the uses and advantages of the ensilage system, but the Commissioner is not aware that it has been introduced by Coorg farmers in a single instance.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

87. The rain-fall registered during the year is as follows:—

	Inches.	Cents.
At Mercara	116	68
„ Somvarpet	84	77
„ Anandapur (South Coorg)	69	96
„ Fraserpet	36	29
„ On the Western Ghats (Kadamakal) ...	236·02	...

The rain-fall is somewhat below the average at Mercara where the mean for 10 years is 129 inches, but generally the average has been fairly maintained. The rain-fall was very unequal within the province. At Mercara the rain guaged during the months of March and April 1886 was 81 cents, while in South Coorg the rain-fall in the same period amounted to 3·89 inches.

The unusually heavy rain-fall of 10·40 in the month of May coming upon a late blossom, affected prejudicially a large number of coffee estates, especially in North Coorg. Indeed, throughout Coorg, the actual outturn was generally much below the estimate.

HORTICULTURE.

88. No new land has been opened for cinchona cultivation during the year. The system of growing the plants between the coffee trees is being abandoned in South Coorg. According to returns furnished by the Planters the area under cultivation on 31st March 1887 was 1,707¾ acres, as compared with 1,800 acres in the previous year, and the number of plants of various kinds 13,66,237.

The outturn of bark during the year was 49,744 lbs. The price ordinarily realized was at the rate of 6d. per lb., but as much as 10 d. per lb. has been realized.

FORESTS.

89. In paragraph 95 of the report of 1885—86 it was observed that the long-pending question of a new general forest law for Coorg was finally decided after the close of that year in favour of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, and that the steps taken for applying the provisions of the new law to the forests in Coorg would be noticed in this report. But, beyond declaring the forests which were gazetted as Government forests under section 2 of the former Act VII of 1865, to be the "reserved forests," under the new Act, and the forests known as the ghat forests to be "protected forests," nothing further has been done. Rules under the new Act and the appointment of a settlement officer are still under consideration.

90. The area of the reserved forests comprise 242 square miles, while that of the protected forests amounts to about 349 square miles.

91. The result of fire protection has not been successful. The area attempted was 1,28,848 acres and the failures amounted to 19·28 per cent of this area. The results attained in the previous two years were 10 and 9 per cent respectively of the area attempted. The cost of protection amounted to Rs. 15—5—0 per square mile against Rs. 15—0—0 in the previous year.

92. An addition of 91 acres was made to teak plantations, of 25 acres to sandalwood plantations, and of 20 acres to fuel plantations. The total area planted is 1,138 acres comprising

	Acres.
Teak plantations	693
Sandalwood	340
Fuel	105
	1,138

93. The following tabular statement exhibits the number of trees felled during the past five years :—

Year.	Teak trees.	Other trees.	Total.
1882—83	494	1,186	1,680
1883—84	817	969	1,786
1884—85	658	843	1,501
1885—86	874	1,015	1,889
1886—87	948	1,346	2,294

94. The next statement shows the quantities of timber brought to depots and sold during the same period :—

Year.	Brought to Depots.			Sold in Depots C. ft.	Sold locally No. of trees.
	Teak C. ft.	Other C. ft.	Total C. ft.		
1882—83	15,972	17,988	33,960	40,388	359
1883—84	26,285	17,995	44,280	46,479	666
1884—85	28,116	26,779	54,895	49,350	618
1885—86	26,753	16,336	43,089	43,504	1,614
1886—87	45,102	41,870	86,972	49,219	965

95. The number of bamboos removed by purchasers from the forests was 1,71,904 and from depots 12,668, the corresponding figures for 1885—86 being 1,97,518 and 13,809; the total amount realized on this account was Rs. 2,333 as compared with Rs. 1,854 in 1885—86.

96. The following statement exhibits the quantities of sandalwood collected and sold during the past 5 years with the revenue realized :—

Year.	Quantities brought to depots in tons.	No. of tons sold.	Amount realized.	Average rate per ton.
1882—83	117½	192¼	77,407	403
1883—84	74¼	36¼	10,908	301
1884—85	72¼	118¾	35,650	300
1885—86	80½	118½	27,954	236
1886—87	78	83	25,935	312

97. The financial results are :—

Year.	Receipts.	Charges.	Surplus.
1885—86	89,386	65,690	23,696
1886—87	99,291	74,088	25,203

The ratio of charges to receipts is therefore a little over 74½ per cent against 68 per cent in the year 1885—86.

MINES AND QUARRIES.

98. *Auriferous Quartz.*—The examination that has been made of auriferous quartz to be found in several localities in Coorg has led to confident expectations being formed. The quartz taken from reefs in one estate near Virajendrapet has been tested at Madras, and the assays showed the presence of gold and silver in about equal quantities varying from 3 dwts. 6 grains to 6 dwts. 11 grains per ton. The whole of the Periambady district is reported to abound in graphite running in small veins, through quartz and decayed felspar. Traces of gold have been also found superficially in quartz taken from localities on the Sampagi Ghat, north-west of Mercara. The services of the Government Mineralogist were applied for by the Chief Commissioner, and the Madras Government assented to his paying a visit to Coorg when he could be spared. From subsequent information it appears that there is no prospect of his services being available for the purpose.

MANUFACTURES.

99. *Mercara Tile Factory.*—The tile factory owned by Mr. East at Mercara is in active work. The tiles are of a special mould introduced by the Basel Mission industrial work-shop at Mangalore and are in demand by all classes. The factory which turns out other products of the potter's art, is associated with a carpenter's and blacksmith's workshop.

100. *Special Industries.*—There are no special industries in Coorg. The manufacture of the peculiar Coorg knife occupies a few men, and their numbers are diminishing.

TRADE.

101. *Exports.*—The exports of Coorg produce are limited to the following articles viz., coffee, cardamoms, grain, hides, timber, fruit and wax.

102. *Coffee Exports.*—The quantity of coffee exported in 1886—87 as taken from the toll-gate returns amounted to 3,631 tons or 72,620 cwts. valued at Rs. 32,67,900, the average selling price locally being Rs. 45 per cwt; while the rate in the previous year was Rs. 24 per cwt. This remarkable rebound after several years of low prices caused the greatest activity in the market, but coming at a season when the outturn was as a whole unusually small, the planters did not benefit as they might have done otherwise. On the other hand, the commonest native coffee, as well as the most inferior kinds of plantation coffee, were in great demand, being purchased chiefly by French and German firms on the west coast, and obtained frequently as high prices as the superior kinds. Most of the coffee from Coorg, estimated at three-fourths of the whole, was despatched to the sea-ports on the west coast, the remainder being sent to the curing establishments at Hunsur and Bangalore to the eastward.

103. *Cardamoms.*—The quantity of cardamoms exported is returned at 940 cwts, valued at Rs. 1,41,600.

The crop was a short one, being, it is estimated, about one-fourth to half of the usual outturn. The price which in the early part of the year was as low as Rs. 80 per cwt. rose rapidly and averaged Rs. 180 per cwt. The spice is largely exported to the west coast, whence much of it is shipped to Bombay. The other products under this head call for no remark.

104. *Imports.*—The principal articles of import are piece-goods, grain, provisions, salt, live-stock, drugs, fruit, metals, oil (Kerosine) and bone manure. According to the returns which are not, however, based on exact data, the aggregate valuation exhibits a decrease as compared with that of the previous year, of more than 1½ lakhs. With the return of better prices for coffee on which the people are now largely dependant, trade may be expected to improve.

105. *Salt.*—The price of this commodity, which in 1885—86 was Rs. 5—12—0 for a bag of 80 seers or 160 lbs., fell in 1886—87 to Rs. 5—6—0. The price is reported to have fallen on the west coast, whence salt is imported.

PUBLIC WORKS.

106. The original budget allotment under Imperial civil works for the year under report was Rs. 1,25,000, but this amount was subsequently increased to Rs. 1,28,100. The additional grant of Rs. 3,150 was sanctioned by the Government of India to meet the salary and travelling allowances of Mr. Supervisor C. Hawke, as also the outlay required to complete the post and telegraph office at Veerajendrapet.

107. It will be seen from Statement No. I appended to this report that out of the modified grant of Rs. 1,28,100 for the year, Rs. 1,07,117 was expended, showing a lapse of Rs. 20,983. This short outlay is attributable to the unusual scarcity of labor this year.

108. CIVIL BUILDINGS.—*Original Works.*—The revised grant under this head was Rs. 16,100 and the outlay amounted to Rs. 10,380, showing a lapse of Rs. 5,720. The following were the principal works in progress during the year :—

(*a*) Improvements to the Palaces at Mercara and Nalknad and the 1st. Assistant Commissioner's Court and Taluk Cutcherry at Veerajpet.

(*b*) Constructing Taluk and Nad Cutcherry at Ponampet, Nad Cutcherry at Gonicopal, and Police Station and Post Office at Wontangadi.—Vide Statement No. IV.

109. CIVIL BUILDINGS.—*Repairs.*—Against a grant of Rs. 2,500 under this head, Rs. 2,560 were expended during the year in repairing the Taluk and Nad Cutcherry at Sanivarsante, No. III Bark shed at the Madapatna Distillery, the Halarinad Cutcherry, and a number of other buildings of minor importance.—Vide Statement No. II.

110. COMMUNICATIONS.—*Original Works.*—The expenditure amounted to Rs. 18,413 or Rs. 7,587 less than the modified grant of Rs. 26,000.—Vide Statement No. IV.

The principal works in progress during the year were as follows :—

(*a*) Opening out the Veerajendrapet-Periapatam road—Rs. 16,000 was allotted for this work during the year, of which Rs. 10,898 were expended, the lapse of Rs. 5,102 being due to scarcity of labor.

The work of completing (*a*) the metalling (*b*) the culvert (*c*) one bridge (*d*) two embankments has still to be carried out.

(*b*) Constructing a bridge across the Cauvery at Siddapur. Against a grant of Rs. 3,750 the outlay during the year amounted to Rs. 2,963. The work of constructing parapet walls to the bridge is now in hand.

(*c*) Constructing causeways over the Hutty and Madapur rivers. A sum of Rs. 523 was expended during the year on the collection of stone and the opening of quarries for this work.

(*d*) Turfing the embankments of the Siddapur bridge.

Out of an allotment of Rs. 2,500 for this work, a sum of Rs. 1,584 was expended. The remainder of the turfing work had to be deferred, as the earth work on the embankments had not been completed.

111. COMMUNICATIONS.—*Repairs.*—The budget grant of Rs. 39,000 was subsequently raised to Rs. 40,000, of which Rs. 37,361 were expended and Rs. 2,639 lapsed. This lapse which occurred mainly on works connected with the Periambady Ghat and its approaches, is attributable to scarcity of labor.

112. ESTABLISHMENT.—The revised grant under this head was Rs. 40,500, of which a sum of Rs. 36,126 was expended exhibiting a lapse of Rs. 4,374. The lapse is attributable chiefly to the non-adjustment of the establishment charges of the office of the Superintending Engineer, which were debited to "miscellaneous advances" pending the orders of the Government of India on the subject. The percentage of the cost of establishment to works was 52·57 or 22·39 more than that of the

previous year. The increase is attributable partly to increase of establishment, and partly to a considerable diminution of expenditure on works. The former was mainly due to the inclusion of the two following items of expenditure, viz :—

(a) Rs. 3,000 to meet the pay of a Supervisor who was absent on leave during the previous year.

(b) Rs. 1,000 to defray the cost of a temporary establishment for surveying certain irrigation projects.

There was also an increase of expenditure under the head contingencies.

113. Tools and Plant.—The allotment of Rs. 3,000 under this head was exceeded by Rs. 2,950. The excess outlay is due to expenditure incurred on the up-keep of cattle which were purchased in the previous year and for the maintenance of which no adequate provision had been made in the budget. It was intended to ascertain to what extent savings could be effected in the estimates for works on which the cattle (with carts) were employed and then to apply for a re-appropriation of funds to meet the cost, but the application was received too late from the Executive Engineer for submission to the Government of India. The excess was however covered by savings in other items of the budget grant.

114. Military.—*Repairs.*—Out of a grant of Rs. 369 under this head, a sum of Rs. 310 was expended mainly on account of :—

(a) Repairs to the quarters of the Volunteer Sergeant Instructor in the Fort at Mercara.

(b) Rent of quarters hired for the accommodation of the Volunteer Sergeant Instructor attached to the South Coorg Company.

115. Incorporated Local Funds.—The budget grant was Rs. 21,000 and the expenditure Rs. 17,348, the lapse of Rs. 3,652 being attributable to the usual scarcity of labor.

116. The principal works in progress were :—

(a) Opening out the Ammatti-Tittimatti road

(b) Constructing the Travellers' Bungalow at Siddapur

(c) Constructing a bridge across the Komey Hole stream

(d) Improving the Travellers' Bungalow at Wotecolly.

117. General Observations.—The expenditure (Imperial and Local Funds) amounted to Rs. 1,24,775 or Rs. 24,694 less than the total grant of Rs. 1,49,469. It is, moreover, considerably less than the average expenditure of the previous three years. But the progress made during the year may, allowing for the difficulty about procuring labor, be regarded as fair.

No. I.—Statement showing Expenditure as compared with the Imperial Grant for 1886–87.

Heads of Service.	Budget Grant.	Revised Estimate.	Outlay.	Difference as compared with revised estimate. More.	Less.
45. *Imperial Civil Works.*					
Original Works	44,000	42,100	28,793	...	13,307
Repairs...	41,500	42,500	39,921	...	2,579
Establishment	36,500	40,500	36,126	...	4,374
Tools and Plant	3,000	3,000	5,950	2,950	...
Profit and Loss	...	..	...	...	...
Total.....	1,25,000	1,28,100	1,10,790	...	17,310
Suspense Balances.					
Stock purchases and sales	...	...	—52	...	52
Stock	..	...	—624	...	624
Miscellaneous advances	..	..	—2,997	...	2,997
Total Suspense.....	...	...	—3,673	...	3,673
Grand Total.. ...	1,25,000	1,28,100	1,07,117	...	20,983

No. II.—Statement of Expenditure classified under the different budget heads for 1886—87.

Sub-Heads.	Original Works.	Repairs.	Total.
45. *Imperial Civil Works.*			
Civil Buildings	10,380	2,560	12,940
Communications	18,413	37,361	55,774
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	...	...	...
Total.....	28,793	39,921	68,714
Establishment	...	...	36,126
Tools and Plant	...	...	5,950
Total.....			1,10,790
Suspense Balances.			
Stock purchases and sales, ...	...	...	—52
Stock	...	...	—624
Miscellaneous	...	...	—2,997
Total Suspense.....			—3,673
Grand Total.....			1,07,117

No. III.—Detail Statement of Expenditure, Imperial Civil Works, for the year 1886—87.

Details.	Total of each Station.			Total of each class.		
	Works.	Repairs.	Total.	Works.	Repairs.	Total.
45. *Imperial Civil Works.*						
CIVIL BUILDINGS.						
Excise and Customs	200	251	451			
Postal	141	28	169			
Telegraph	28	2	30			
Viceregal Residences	723	78	801			
Mint, Treasury and Currency Buildings ...	3,087	1,196	4,283			
Jails	469	108	577			
Police	3,487	160	3,647			
Law and Justice	781	...	781			
Churches and Burial grounds ...	...	101	101			
Public Works	...	128	128			
Miscellaneous	1,464	508	1,972			
				10,380	2,560	12,940
Communications.						
Metalled and Bridged Roads ...	17,896	37,312	55,208			
Boat Bridges and Ferries	517	...	517			
Accommodation for Travellers ...	...	49	49			
				18,413	37,361	55,774
				28,793	39,921	68,714
Establishment	...	...	...	...	...	36,126
Tools and Plant	...	...	...	...	...	5,950
Suspense	...	...	...	...	...	—3,673
Grand Total.....	...	...	...	...	...	1,07,117

No. IV.—Statement showing the Outlay incurred on Original Works in Coorg Province during the year 1886—87.

Division.	Budget Item No.	Name of Work.	Original Budget Grant.	Revised Estimate.	Outlay.	Difference compared with revised estimate. More.	Less.
		Imperial Civil Buildings.					
	...	Constructing a Nad Cutcherry at Amatti ...	...	...	4	4	...
	...	Do do at Goniicopal ...	...	1,190	1,511	321	...
	2	Do a Taluk and do at Ponampet ...	5,500	4,500	228	...	4,272
	3, 4	Do Nad Cutcherry at Kadiethnad, Beppunad and Hubli	7,200	2,000	...	...	2,000
	1	Improvements to the District Jail at Mercara...	2,600	540	469	...	71
	...	Constructing a Police Station with Post Office at Wantangadi	...	2,273	2,169	...	104
	...	Altering and improving the First Assistant Commissioner's Court at Veerajendrapet ...	..	1,260	781	...	479
	...	Improvements to the Palace at Mercara ...	...	1,000	570	...	430
	...	Re-roofing the Palace at Nalknad ...	...	660	894	234	...
		Total Civil Buildings, Major Works.....	15,300	13,423	6,626	...	6,797
		Minor works not exceeding Rs. 2,500 each ...	2,700	2,677	3,754	1,077	...
Coorg.		Grand Total, Civil Buildings.....	18,000	16,100	10,380	...	5,720
		Communications.					
	5	Opening out a road from Veerajpet to Periapatam Bangalore-Cannanore road ...	20,000	16,000	10,898	...	5,102
	...	Opening out a first class road from Mercara to Siddapur Bangalore-Cannanore road ...	...	...	—2,213	...	2,213
	6	Constructing a bridge over the Cauvery river at Siddapur	...	3,750	2,963	...	787
	6	Improvements to the Mercara-Kodlipet road line...	2,500	...	—98	...	98
	...	Turfing embankments to the bridge at Siddapur	...	2,500	1,584	...	916
		Constructing a permanent Causeway at Madapur	...	...	523	523	...
		Total Communications, Major Works	22,500	22,250	13,657	...	8,593
		Minor Works not exceeding Rs. 2,500 each ..	2,500	3,750	4,756	1,006	...
		Grand Total, Communications.....	25,000	26,000	18,413	...	7,587
		Miscellaneous Public Improvements ..	1,000	...	...	...	...
		Grand Total Imperial Civil Works (Original)...	44,000	42,100	28,793	...	13,307

No. V.—Statement showing Expenditure as compared with the Grant from Incorporated Local Funds for 1886—87.

Heads of service.	Budget Estimate.	Revised Estimate.	Outlay.	Difference as compared with revised estimate. More.	Less.
45. *Incorporated Local Civil Works.*					
Original Works	5,000	11,480	8,755	...	2,725
Repairs	11,601	5,121	4,959	...	162
Establishment	4,150	4,150	3,428	...	722
Tools and Plant	249	249	206	...	43
Profit and Loss	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	21,000	21,000	17,348	...	3,652
Suspense and Balances.					
Stock purchases and sales	...	...	...	...	...
Stock	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous advances	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	...	...	...	...	...
Grand Total.....	21,000	21,000	17,348	...	3,652

No. VI.—Statement of Expenditure as compared with the Grant for Military Works during the year 1886—87.

	Budget Estimate.	Revised Estimate.	Outlay.	Difference as compared with the revised estimate.	
				More.	Less.
44. *Military Works.*					
Original Works	...	...	...	...	...
Repairs	...	296	251	...	45
Establishment	...	68	58	...	10
Tools and Plant	...	5	1	...	4
Total... ..	...	369	310	...	59

POST OFFICE AND TELEGRAPH.

118. The Coorg District Post establishment has undergone considerable changes during the year, with the object of economizing the working, as well as introducing some needed improvements.

119. Seven sub-offices have been closed, and of these five have been converted into village post offices. Village post offices have been established at Ramaswamikanve, Tittimatti, Beppunad, Boyikere, Kadiethnad and Tavalagerimurnad.

120. The village post office at Bettakeri was closed and a letter-box placed there.

121. The postal line connecting Mercara with the Yelsavirshime Taluk which was previously carried by a detour, via Santikopa, has been opened along the main road, thus making the communication from provincial head-quarters more direct, and involving an increase of runners from 12 to 15.

122. The postal line from Virajpet to Hudikeri (Kiggatnad Taluk) has been extended to Tavalagerimurnad. The lines from Haringi to Gadinad and from Padinalknad to Kuyengerinad have been closed, and a small branch line opened between Sampajinad and Chembu.

123. Saving Banks have been experimentally attached to the sub-post offices at Sanivarsante and Gonikopal.

124. Statistics of Telegraph lines and offices in the Province of Coorg for the year 1886—87.

Lines.

Mileage of Lines.				Mileage of Wires.			
At the end of previous year.	Added during the year.	Deducted during the year.	Remaining at the end of the year.	At the end of previous year.	Added during the year.	Deducted during the year.	Remaining at the end of the year.
25	...	...	25	44	...	...	44

Offices.

	No. of Telegraph offices open at end of previous year.	Add No. opened during the year.	Deduct No. closed during the year.	No. open at the end of the year.	No. of messages despatched during the year from Government offices.	Increase or decrease over previous year.	Indian share of collections.		
Government offices ...	3	...	...	3					
Railway & canal offices	...	...	...	...					
Offices not open for paid messages ...	..	...	...	...	3,514	605	3,956	5	0
Total...	3	...	...	3					

125. The telegraph line having been extended to Pollebetta for the benefit expressly of the Planters in South Coorg, the Post office there has become a combined office with some increase of establishment.

126. The total amount debited to Post office was Rs. 53,887—6—8, of which Rs. 8,356—4—3 was on account of the District Post. The increase in the payments to Imperial Post was due to the transfer of the entire control of the Saving Bank deposits which used to be accounted for by the Treasury Officer to that department.

127. There are three Government telegraph offices in Coorg; the mileage of lines is 25 and the mileage of wires 44. The number of messages despatched during the year from the three offices was 3,514.

IRRIGATION.

128. Nil.

V. REVENUE AND FINANCE.

A. IMPERIAL REVENUE AND FINANCE.

129. The total demand for the year amounted to Rs. 7,12,005—7—10 against Rs. 6,41,183—9—5 in the previous year, being an increase of Rs. 70,821—14—5. All items of revenue show an increase mainly under the following heads:—

Coffee land assessment	...	...	... Rs. 17,314	11	3
Sale of waste lands	...	...	... „ 8,584	6	10
Forest	...	..	... „ 5,173	2	6
Abkari	...	...	... „ 15,263	3	10
Miscellaneous	...	...	... „ 21,996	14	9

130. *Land Revenue.*—The demand under the head of ordinary land assessment and its adjunct, the "Dhuli bhatta" tax amounted to Rs. 1,79,086—13—3 against Rs. 1,77,623—13—11 exhibiting an increase of Rs. 1,462—15—4.

131. Under the head of coffee assessment, the augmentation of revenue resulted from assessment imposed for the first time on cultivation on *bane* lands under the rules issued by the Chief Commissioner dated 15th July 1886. The amount brought to book under this head was Rs. 16,534—3—7 on an area of 8,568·18 acres.

132. The demand under casual land revenue amounted to Rs. 27,137—4—1 against Rs. 17,526—5—4. The main item of increase viz. Rs. 8,584—6—10 relates to the sale of waste lands, which realized better prices.

133. *Forests.*—The demand under ~~Forest~~ this head rose from Rs. 91,925—13—9 to Rs. 97,099—0—3, being a net increase of Rs. 5,173—2—6, of which Rs. 4,251 were obtained by leasing afresh the Government cardamom *malles* on more favorable terms, and Rs. 3,432—2—7 by the proceeds of the timber on waste lands sold by auction.

On the other hand, the Forest Department sustained some loss by the diminished sale of sandalwood, owing to short collection.

134. *Abkari.*—The net increase of revenue in the past year amounted to Rs. 15,263—3—10. The increase is shown under still-head duty, and therefore arises from increased consumption. This consumption has not been abnormal however, and is explained by the circumstance that for 6 months of the preceding year, with which the figures are compared, the contract was under a temporary arrangement held in abeyance and the issues therefore fell off considerably.

135. *Miscellaneous.*—Under the head of miscellaneous revenue, the item of stamps, post office, education and miscellaneous show a good increase of revenue.

136. *Stamps.*—The increase from stamps (Rs. 9,345) is assignable to the improved coffee market. With the rise of prices, creditors have taken steps to enforce their claims in the Courts. It is partly ascribable also to the measures which have been adopted for enforcing the stamp law more strictly, the neglect of which by the Taluk and Nad officials has induced much laxity.

137. *Post Office.*—The Post office receipts have risen from Rs. 22,137—1—0 to Rs. 24,310—9—9. The increase is chiefly from the change made since 1st October 1885 in affixing postage labels on receipts for postage on ordinary, insured and value-payable parcels in lieu of cash receipts.

138. *Education.*—The increase of Rs. 1,135—7—2 exhibited under education is due to the imposition for the first time of school fees in primary schools.

139. *Income Tax.*—Under miscellaneous is included a sum of Rs. 10,913-4-7 realized from the imposition of the income tax, Act II of 1886 having come into operation during the year.

140. *Outstanding Balances.*—The balance of revenue outstanding under all heads at the close of March 1886 was Rs. 1,90,286—14—2. Deducting from this Rs. 2,570—6—8 subsequently remitted and struck off the accounts as irrecoverable, the amount actually brought forward was Rs. 1,87,716—7—6 making, with the demand for 1886—87 viz. Rs. 7,12,005—7—10, a total of Rs. 8,99,721—15—4. Of this amount Rs. 7,00,184—6—6 were realized up to the 31st March 1887. The balance outstanding on that date includes the two instalments of land revenue payable after the close of the official year i. e. in April and May, and which amounted to Rs. 1,99,537—8—10.

This balance was reduced at the close of July 1887 to Rs. 59,170—12—9, the greater part viz. Rs. 41,499—1—6 consisting of coffee assessment which remains to be recovered.

141. *Net Surplus Revenue.*—The gross realization on account of imperial revenue amounted to Rs. 7,09,953—9—4. The net receipts, after deducting refunds and charges against income amounting to Rs. 2,52,558—12—3, aggregate Rs. 4,57,394-13-1. The expenditure charged against net income was Rs. 3,27,083-5-8, leaving a surplus of imperial revenue amounting to Rs. 1,30,311—7—5 as compared with Rs. 1,14,027—4—11 in the previous year. The surplus was enhanced by the reduction of the P. W. D. budget grants from Rs. 1,41,000 to Rs. 1,28,100.

142. *Cash Transactions.*—At the close of 1885—86, the cash balance in the Coorg Treasuries stood at Rs. 3,92,496—12—0. The net revenue collected including items of local revenue amounted to Rs. 5,57,634—5—3. The revenue received but paid away and charged against income amounted to Rs. 2,16,620—14—1. Deposits amounted to Rs. 41,949—8—9. Receipts on account of bills drawn on other treasuries amounted to Rs. 2,34,525—15—1, of which Rs. 2,11,003—13—0 represents receipts of the postal department on account of money orders, saving banks, bearing charges &c.

143. Remittances from other treasuries amounted to Rs. 31,300-3-6, of which Rs. 15,000 consisted of silver coins and Rs. 16,300—3—6 of copper.

144. These sums with a small amount of refunds made during the year bring up the total transactions of the Coorg Treasuries on the credit side to Rs. 14,77,708—8—4.

145. The disbursements, which included a remittance of Rs. 4,70,000 in currency notes to Madras, Rs. 1,00,000 being the amount of supply bills drawn on the Coorg Treasury by the Accountant General, Madras, amounted to Rs. 12,08,460—12—1, leaving a cash balance of Rs. 2,69,247—12—3 at the close of the year.

B. REVENUE AND FINANCE OTHER THAN IMPERIAL.

146. *District Funds.*—The revenue balance of district funds outstanding at the beginning of the year was Rs. 1,711—9—3. Adding to this the demand of the year viz. Rs. 37,264—6—11 the actual collections, after deducting the sum of Rs. 4,338 collected in advance of demand for 1887—88 and after adding Rs. 4,239—4—0 collected in 1885—86 on account of the year 1886—87, amounted to Rs. 37,997-8-6, thus leaving Rs. 978—7—8 outstanding at the close of March 1887.

147. The following items compose the demand :—

Tolls on roads	19,519	0	0
Plough tax	5,735	4	11
Contribution from imperial to local fund schools —	2,800	0	0
Refunds and miscellaneous	933	11	0
School plantation fund	3,303	2	10
Market fees	1,235	1	10
Tolls on ferries	1,506	12	0
Staging bungalows	781	12	0
Pound fees	1,449	10	4
Total.....	37,264	6	11

148. The contribution from imperial funds to local fund primary schools in the district was raised during the year from Rs. 2,600 in 1885—86 to Rs. 2,800.

149. The expenditure incurred was Rs. 25,747—15—1 as follows :—

Refunds	20	10	0
Cost of establishment	3,401	2	10
Works by Public Works Department ...	18,978	15	0
School Plantation Fund, including investment ...	3,347	3	3
Total.....	25,747	15	1

MUNICIPAL FUNDS.

150. *Municipal.*—The total assets of the five Municipalities of Mercara, Virajendrapet, Fraserpet, Somvarpet and Kodlipet, including the opening balance of Rs 2,928—3—7, amounted to Rs. 29,133—9—2.

151. The aggregate expenditure from municipal funds during the year was Rs. 19,850—2—5.

The main items were for :—

Conservancy ... ... Rs	5,507	10	4
Lighting ... . "	777	10	2
Dispensaries ... ... "	6,627	0	1
Primary schools ... ... "	2,778	12	7

VI. VITAL STATISTICS AND MEDICAL SERVICES.

DETAILS OF CENSUS.

152. Nil.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

153. The number of births registered during the year was 2,505 or 14·04 per mille of population against 17·48 in the year 1885, and that of deaths 3,626 or 20·33 per mille against 16·57 in the year 1885. The fact that the death rate is in excess of the birth rate clearly points to defective registration. 88 per cent of the total number of deaths are attributed to fevers as against 80 per cent last year, but this classification must be accepted with some reserve as many deaths from other diseases accompanied by febrile symptoms are included under this head. There were only 43 deaths from small-pox and none from cholera.

EMIGRATION.

154. Nil.

MEDICAL RELIEF.

155. The number of patients treated in the two hospitals and dispensaries amounted to 21,652, of which 574 were in-patients and 21,078 out-patients. The number treated in the previous year was 12,979, of which 497 were in-patients and 12,482 out-patients, the increase being thus 77 and 8,596 respectively.

156. The income of the two institutions was Rs. 8,692—5—4, viz. Rs. 5,746-2-1 in Mercara and Rs. 2,946—3—3 in Virajendrapet, all of which was expended.

The income of the previous year was Rs. 11,930 and just covered the expenditure Rs. 11,930—4—4. The amount of invested capital is Rs. 4,900 against Rs. 5,900 in the previous year, Rs. 1,000 having been withdrawn to meet current expenditure.

SANITATION.

157. There is nothing special to be recorded under this head. The sanitary condition of the municipal towns continues satisfactory.

VACCINATION.

158. The number of primary operations by the Government and Municipal Vaccinators and in the Dispensaries was 8,590, of which 7,899 or 92·19 per cent were successful. The corresponding figures for the previous year were 9,558 and 8,677 respectively or 91·64 per cent. The number of cases of re-vaccination was 538, of which 371 or 69 per cent were successful, the corresponding figures for 1885—86 being 646 and 478 respectively or 74 per cent.

Thus, though a considerable falling off is observable in the outturn of work, the high percentage of successful operations has been maintained.

In the four municipal towns in which the Vaccination Act XIII of 1880 is in force, 170 notices were issued and 20 summonses were served under the provisions of the Act; but its penal provisions were not enforced in any case. In the year 1885—86, 445 notices were issued, 168 summonses served, and fines imposed in 12 instances.

159. The expenditure from imperial revenues was Rs. 1,802 or Rs. 6 less than in the year 1885. The cost to Municipalities (Mercara and Virajendrapet) was Rs. 360 or the same as in the preceding year.

VII. INSTRUCTION.

GENERAL SYSTEM OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

160. Vide paragraphs 181 to 184 of the report of 1882—83.

EDUCATION.

161. The number of schools of all kinds, of pupils, and the amount of fees paid by them for the past two years are contrasted in the following tabular statement:—

Class of Schools.	1885—86.			1886—87.			
	Schools.	Pupils.	Fees.	Schools.	Pupils.	Fees.	
Secondary Education.							
Government Schools—English (Mercara Central)...	1	330	3,152	1	332	3,111	Divided into High, Middle and Primary.
Municipal do do Virajendrapet...	1	86	699	1	90	696	Divided into Middle and Primary.
Aided do do (Mercara St. Mark's for Europeans)...	1	20	770	1	19	984	
Primary Education.							
Government Schools—English ...	3	140	275	3	145	373	
Do do Superior Vernacular...	2	116	168	2	109	159	
Do do Inferior Vernacular...	56	2,813	...	56	2,402	1,077	
Municipal Schools do ...	5	254	171	5	302	319	
Aided do do ...	5	144	42	5	145	34	
Special Schools.							
Normal School—Vernacular ...	1	14	...	1	13	...	
Total Departmental, Municipal and aided...	75	3,917	5,277	75	3,557	6,763	
Private or unaided schools	32	531	2,576	19	313	1,191	
Total of all kinds.....	107	4,448	7,853	94	3,870	7,954	

162. The marked falling off of 411 pupils on the rolls of the 56 inferior vernacular schools is attributable to the introduction for the first time of fees in 44 of these schools, the amount realized on this account being Rs. 1,077.

163. There were 19 private or unaided schools attended by 313 pupils, the corresponding figures for the previous year being 32 and 531 respectively.

164. Fourteen scholars were presented for the Matriculation examination, of whom 8 passed, 1 being in the first class. The result is not so good as in the preceding year when 10 boys passed out of 11 who went up for this examination. 5 out of the 8 successful candidates obtained scholarships. 23 candidates passed the Middle School examination against 12 in the previous year.

165. Classified according to race or creed the 3,557 pupils attending the 75 Government, Municipal and aided schools consisted of—

Coorgs ..	2,282	Mahomedans ..	141
Other castes (Hindus)	872	Europeans and Eurasians	19
Native Christians	107	Others ..	136

Classified according to sex there were 3,068 boys and 489 girls.

166. There are in all 23 scholarships available for students who have passed the matriculation examination as shown below :—

8	Endowment scholarships at	Rs. 15	per mensem
6	Government scholarships at	,, 15	,,
6	Do do	,, 10	,,
3	Technical scholarships	,, 15	,,
23			

Steps are being taken to increase the number of scholarships for technical subjects.

167. The majority of the schools are now provided with suitable houses built by rich and influential Coorgs or by the aid of subscriptions raised among the villagers. 4 such schools were constructed during the year 1886—87.

168. The important work of inspection has not been neglected, the Inspector of Schools having made 82 visits to schools and the Deputy Inspector 222.

169. The expenditure on the department was Rs. 36,477 or Rs. 1,477 less than in 1885—86, of which 55 per cent was met from imperial revenues.

LITERATURE AND THE PRESS.

170. Nil.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

171. The Mercara Book Club and Mercara Literary Union fall under this designation. They have been described in previous reports.

ARTS AND SCIENCE.

172. Nil.

VIII. ARCHÆOLOGY.

173. Nil.

IX. MISCELLANEOUS.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

Ecclesiastical.

174. *The Basel Evangelical Mission.*—The number of Native Christians attached to this body is reported to be 268, besides 17 Europeans.

175. *Roman Catholic Mission.*—The members of this Church are returned at 2,060 natives and 130 of other classes.

STATIONERY.

176. Nil.

GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS.

Muzarayi.

177. The Government grant to Hindu Muzarayi or temple funds was Rs. 13,761—15—2 in cash payments, Rs. 990—5—0 in deductions made for land revenue, and Rs. 9,591—10—11 in land endowments. The grant to Mahomedan institutions consists of Rs. 38 in land endowments and Rs. 16 in cash.

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1. *Area cultivated and uncultivated for the official year* 1886—87.

District.	Area shown by the Survey Department.	Deduct.			Net area dealt with in this return.	Cultivated.			Uncultivated.			Forest.
		Feudatory and Tributary States.	Area for which returns are otherwise not available.	Total.		Actually cropped.	Current fallows.	Total.	Available for cultivation.	Not available for cultivation.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Coorg ...	10,13,000	..	.	...	10,13,000	1,39,522	22,824	1,62,346	46,285	6,49,636	6,95,921	1,54,733

Rice ..	73,667	1,872	200
Other food grains ..	1,426	.	...
Garden lands ...	79	...	...
Coffee lands	51,050	20,952	1,490
Bane assessed ..	8,568	..	.
„ not assessed ..	4,432		...
Cardamom lands	300	..	33,588
Backyards ...	.		11,007
Total ..	1,39,522	22,824	46,285

2. *Character of Surface*, 1886—87.

Nature of different Tracts.	Names, Area, and Physical Description of each Tract.	Where situated, in British or Native Territory.	Prevailing Soils, Minerals and Products.
	Vide Report for 1870—71.		

3. *Climate*, 1886—87.

Place at which observations taken and year for which taken.	Rain-fall in Inches.			Average Temperature in the year.									Prevailing Winds.			Remarks.
				May.			July			December.						
	January to May.	June to September.	October to December.	Total.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	January to May.	June to September.	October to December.	
Merkara for 1886	11·21	89·84	15·14	116·19	80·4	65·4	71·5	71·3	62·9	65·1	73·7	57·5	65·0	N. E. by N.	N. W. by W.	N. E. by N.	

I. B. POLITICAL RELATIONS.

1. *Native States*, 1886—87.

Name of State.	Tribute in Men or Money.	Population.	Supposed Gross Revenue.	Military Force.	Transit duties or not.	Principal Articles of Production including Manufactures and Mines.	Remarks.
				Nil.			

2. *Native Chiefs and Principal Male Members of their Families for* 1886—87.

Names of Individuals, State and Family to which they belong.	Present position.	Caste or Race and Religion.	Age.	How educated.	How employed.	Has Sannad authorizing adoption or not.	Has male heirs or not.	Family follows primogeniture.	Remarks.
1. Devammaji, the sister of the late Virajendra Wodayar and widow of Chenna Basappa. She has a jaghir in Kuyengerinad of the Padinalknad Taluk managed by her.	Draws a pension of Rs. 250 per mensem from Government.	Sudra Sivachari.	...	Can write Canarese fluently.	Look after their household affairs.	Vide letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of India to Agent, Governor General, Benares, No. 203, dated 1st February 1877.	...	...	*Died without heir on 25th May 1886.
2. Shome Shekhar is the only surviving illegitimate son of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg. He has a wife named Devamma aged 31, four sons, Virraj aged 14, Lingraj aged 12, Mundraj aged 7, and Chendra Shekhar, six months old, and one daughter aged 3. He has a property worth Rs. 10,000 in Banares.	Do Rs. 200 per mensem.	Do	52	Knows Canarese and can sign his name in English and Persian.			Has four sons, viz, Viraj, Lingraj, Mundraj, and Chendra Sekhar.	Yes.	
3. Devama, widow of the late Lingraj, the legitimate son of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg, has about Rs. 90,000 worth Promissory Notes deposited in the Bank of Bengal, Benares. She has no issue.	Do Rs. 150 per mensem	Do	33	Knows Canarese.			None.	No	
4. Chinama, widow of the late Virabhadra, an illegitimate son of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg, has no issue.	Do Rs. 100	Do	30	Do			Do	Do	
5. Parvatiama, widow of the late Nunjhund, an illegitimate son of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg, has no issue.	Do	Do	33	Do			Do	Do	
*6. Subesama a concubine of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg.	...	...	...	..					
7. Jasoda Bai, a concubine of the late said Nunjhund. She has a son Kadar Prasad aged 9.	Do Rs. 30.	Sudra Hindu.	35	Knows Hindi.			Has a son Kadar-Prasad.	Do	
8. Mudama, widow of the late Jang Bahadur and illegitimate daughter of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg.	Do Rs. 40.	Sudra Sivachari.	52	Knows Karnatiki.			Nil.	Do	

I. C. CIVIL DIVISIONS OF BRITISH TERRITORY.

Name of Commissionership.	Number of Executive Districts.	Number of Judicial and Revenue Sub-Divisions.	Area in square miles.	Population	Chief Towns with Population.	Number of Villages.	How many Civil and Revenue Judges of all sorts.	How many Magistrates of all sorts.	Maximum distance in miles of Villages from nearest Court.	Average of do.	No. of Police.	Total Cost of Officials and Police of all sorts.	Revenue. Land.	Revenue. Gross.	Remarks.
Coorg.	1	6 principal Revenue Sub-Divisions. 8 do Judicial Sub-Divisions.	1582·81	1,78,302	Mercara 8,383 Virajendrapet 4,576	514	1 Commissioner. 6 Subedars. 24 Parpattigars. 2 Assistant Parpattigars. 33 Revenue Judges. 16 Civil Judges.	21	25	5	Town Police 188 Rural Police 4,084 Total ..4,272	Rs. 2,19,519—9—1.	Rs. 3,35,140—9—4.	Rs. 7,73,389—1—9.	

I. D. POPULATION.

District.	Inhabited Houses.			Population.						Classification of Population.								Occupation.		Prevailing Languages.	Emigration and Immigration during the year.
	No. of masonry dwellings.	Do of other kinds.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children under 12 years. Boys.	Children under 12 years. Girls.	Total.	No. per square mile.	Christians. Europeans.	Christians. East Indians and other mixed classes.	Christians. Natives.	Coorgs.	Hindus.	Mahomedans.	Parsis.	Buddhists or Jains.	Aborigines.	Agriculturists.	Non Agriculturists.	
Coorg ...	Not specified.	Not specified.	22,357	69,453	48,932	30,966	28,911	1,78,302	112·63	228	237	2,637	27,033	80,828	12,541	21	99	54,630	88,373	59,929	Canarese, Coorg, Hindustani, Malayalim, Tamil, Tulu, Telugu, Mahratti, and Konkani.	Migratory coolies 20,000.

I. E. FISCAL.

Survey and Settlement.

1. *Survey.*

Area previously surveyed, Trigonometrically.	Topographically surveyed.	Boundary demarcated and surveyed.	Revenue. Coffee Estates exclusive of cancelled ones.	Cost per square mile. Trigonometrical.	Topographical, inclusive of village boundaries demarcated and surveyed	Revenue. Coffee Estates and Devarakadus.	Surveyed and finally examined during 1886—87. Trigonometrical.	Topographical. Topographically surveyed.	Topographical. Boundaries demarcated and surveyed.	Revenue. Coffee Estates, and Devarakadus &c.	Cost per square mile. Trigonometrical.	Topographical inclusive of village boundaries surveyed.	Coffee Estates and Devarakadus per acre.	Remarks.
Nil.	514 Villages, 1582·81 Square miles.	514 Villages. 1582·81 Square miles.	Acres. 1,14,650·53 *5456 Coffee Estates &c. ... 14,399·13 858 Devarakadus. 2 Deductions and 16 Special Surveys 943·20	Nil.	Rs. 96—0—10, average (per square mile.)	1—9—4	Nil	Nil.	Nil.	Demarcated and Surveyed. Acs. 210 Coffee Estates and Waste Land Blocks 939-62 18 Devarakadus ...14-74 2 Special Surveys 7-12 Final examination of maps in the Field. 179 Maps of Coffee Estates and Devarakadus. 8 Maps of special surveys &c. 3 Maps of Ghat Forests. Area in all.. 18,411-93 Acs.	Nil.	Nil.	1—10—3	*Exclusive of re-surveyed and cancelled blocks. Vide para I of Memo on the Survey Operations for 1886—87.

2. *Surveyed and assessed Area for* 1886—87.

District.	Total area by Survey less feudatories.	Deduct area not fully assessed including estates assessed at privileged rates.	Balance of area fully assessed.	Total Land Revenue (excluding Cesses) of District (column 2)	Population of District (column 2)	Land Revenue per head of population (Columns 5 and 6.)	Land Revenue assessed on fully assessed area (Column 4.)	Incidence of Land Revenue (Column 8) on on fully assessed area (column 4) per acre. For Total Area.	For cultivated Area.	Population of fully assessed area.	Land Revenue assessment per head of population of fully assessed area (Column 4.)	Towns with over 10,000 inhabitants.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Coorg .	10,13,000	A 9,08,645	B 1,04,355	C 2,82,083—12—3	1,78,302	1-9-3	D 2,07,268—2—8	1-15-9	E 2-7-9	...	...	...

A In this area is included the area

of Jamma lands	37,124	Assessed at privileged rates
Umbli	7,904	
Jodi	3,222	
	48,250	
And also Jagheer	3,137	Rent free lands.
	51,387	
Forest	1,54,733	
Waste	6,95,921	
Bane and Cardamoms ...	6,604	
	9,08,645	

B

Sagu .	23,785	
Coffee ...	80,570	
	1,04,355	

C

Jamma . .	61872	6	0
Umbli ...	6,428	4	2
Jodi ...	6,514	15	5
Sagu .	81,936	15	6
Coffee ...	1,25,331	3	2
	2,82,083	12	3

D

	81,936	15	6
	1,25,331	3	2
	2,07,268	2	8

E Cultivated area is 83,403 Acs.

Sagu	23,785 Acs.
Coffee	51,050 „
Bane	8,568 „
Total...	83,403

I. E. FISCAL.

3. *Varieties of Tenure held direct from Government during the year* 1886—87.

Nature of Tenure.	Number of Estates.	Number of Villages.	Number of holders or share-holders.	Gross Area.	Average Area of each Estate.	Average Assessment of each Estate.	Revenue Rate per acre.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Great Zamindaries paying more than Rs. 5,000 revenue. — Held by individuals under law of primogeniture.							
Great Zamindaries paying more than Rs. 5,000 revenue. — Held by individuals and families under ordinary law.							
Large Zamindaries paying from Rs. 50,000 to Rs. 5,000 revenue. — Under law of primogeniture.							
Large Zamindaries paying from Rs. 50,000 to Rs. 5,000 revenue. — Under the ordinary law.							
Zamindaries paying from Rs. 5,000 to Rs. 100 revenue.							
Small Zamindaries other than those of cultivating communities paying 100 Rs. revenue.							
Peasant Proprietors paying separately	14,771		6,495	23,785	1 61	5 8 9	3 5 4
Holders of wholly or partly revenue free tenures. — In perpetuity. ...	9,578	514	4,863	51,309	5 35	7 12 11	0 5 4 to 1 10 8
Holders of wholly or partly revenue free tenures. — For life or lives ...	9		3	78	8·66	.	..
Land holders who have redeemed the revenue	...		...	.		...	
Purchase of waste lands	5,643		5,643	80,570	14 27	22 3 4	0 8 0 to 2 0 0
Total.....	30,001		17,004	1,55,742	5 19	9 6 5	0 5 4 to 3 5 4

Items shown in Statement A do not appear in this return for reasons given opposite to them.

Bane	4,432	
Fallow	1,872	
	6,304	not assessed.
Cardamom cultivated area	300	There is no column provided for exhibiting this item in this return.
Total...	6,604	

4. *Register of Transfers in Coorg for* 1886—87.

	Number of Transfers.		Total area transferred.	
	By order of Court.	By private contract or gift	By order of Court	By private contract or gift
Proprietors ... — Revenue paying ..	31	572	220	3,529
Proprietors ... — Revenue free ...	...	.	..	.
Tenants who have statutory (otherwise recognized powers of transfer.)	...	..		...

Land Revenue, 1886—87.

Description of Revenue.	Revenue last year — Assessed.	Revenue last year — Realized	Revenue this year — Assessed.	Revenue this year — Realized.	Cost of Collection.	Net Collection during the year	Outstanding balances.	No. of sales for arrears of Revenue	Revenue of estates sold.
From settled estates bearing revenue in past year	2,70,571	3 10 1,22,268 12	3 2,89,190 1	3 1,39,018 13 4	Rs. 7,426—14—0.	Rs. 3,23,098—4—8.	Current year Rs. 1,53,731—8—1 Previous years „ 14,932—4—4 Total 1,78,663—12—5	30	614—9—1.
Settled estates added to revenue roll during the present year.									
Settled estates taken off revenue roll in the present year.									
Collection from Government estates.									
Income from sale of Government estates .	2,928	13 8 2,922 10	6 10,813 4	6 3,953 1 9					
Miscellaneous land revenue not included in the above ...	33,951	14 6 25,569 2	8 35,137 3	7 28,349 1 10					
Total.....	3,06,752	0 0 1,50,060 9	5 3,35,140 9 4	7 1,71,321 0 11					

Balance at the close of 1885—86 ..	...	...	..	1,69,277	13	9
Demand for 1886—87 .	..	...	...	3,35,140	9	4
Total ..	...	...	...	5,04,418	7	1
Deduct— Collections. For previous years	1,51,777	3	9			
For 1886—87 .	1,71,321	0	11			
	3,23,098	4	8			
In 1885—86 in decrease of demand for 1886—87...	88	0	4	3,23,186	5	0
Net	...	...	...	1,81,232	2	1
Deduct remission .	...	...	...	2,568	5	8
See D C and B Statement No. I ...	1,67,503	1	2			
II ...	11,160	11	3			
Balance on 31st March 1887 ..	...	..	...	1,78,663	12	5

II. STATISTICS OF PROTECTION.

A. LEGISLATURE.

1. *Statement of the Acts of the Governor General in Council extended to the Province of Coorg, during the year* 1886—87.

Title of Act.	By whom proposed.	Object and Character of the Act.	Date on which extended.
Act No. II of 1886	... ...	Income Tax	1st April 1886.
Do XII of 1880	. .	Kazis	Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 36 dated 4th June 1886.
Do XVII of 1878 . ..	. ..	Northern Indian Ferries	Do No. 37 dated 5th do
Bengal Regulation No. III of 1818	... ...	State Prisoners	Do No. 5 dated 12th Feb. 1887.
Act No. XXXIV of 1850			
Do III of 1858			
Do XXXVI of 1858 as amended by Act XVIII of 1886 ..			
Act No. V of 1861, Section 34	.. ..	Police	Made applicable to the Towns of Mercara, Virajendrapet, Fraserpet, Kodlipet, Ammatti, Siddapur, and Gonikopal. Vide Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 38, dated 7th June 1886. Do Somavarpet, vide Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 10 dated 7th March 1887.

2. *Statement of Bills proposed or pending in the Legislature of Coorg during the year* 1886—87.

Title of Bill.	By whom proposed.	Object and Character of the Bill.	When introduced.	When rejected or withdrawn.	If pending, why and in what state.
		Nil.			

3. *Statement of Draft Bills submitted by the Chief Administrative Authority of the Province of Coorg for the consideration of the Legislature of India during the year* 1886—87.

Title of Bill.	By whom proposed.	Object and Character of the Bill.	Date, result or present position of the proposed Bill.
	Nil.		

II. B. JUDICIAL—Civil and Criminal.

1. *Statement showing the Number of Judicial Divisions and the Number of Officers exercising Appellate or Original Jurisdiction in the Province of Coorg on the last day of the year* 1886, *with the Cost of Tribunals.*

Name of Province.	Area.	Population.	Number of Divisions for Courts under Chief Court, but superior to Chief Courts of Districts.	Number of Districts.	Number of Sub-Districts.	Total number of Officers exercising Original or Appellate Jurisdiction.					Total Number of Cases decided.				Total Receipts of the Courts.	Total Charges of the Courts.	Remarks.		
						Judges of Chief Court of Province.	Judges of other Courts superior to Chief District Courts.	Judges of Chief Courts of Districts.	Judges of District Courts other than Chief Courts.	Judges of other Subordinate Courts.	Original.		Appeals.						
											Regular	Miscellaneous.	Regular	Miscellaneous.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18		
Province of Coorg. Territory subject to the High Court. Civil ..	1,582 Square miles.	1,78,302	.	1		1	...	1	2	13	2,986	785	*113	11	*62,827—3—9	*71,333—5—6½	Grades of Judicial Officers.	Europeans.	Natives.
Province of Coorg. Territory subject to the High Court. Criminal			1	1		1		2	..	20	1,855	34	*88	34			Officers exercising both original and appellate jurisdiction. 1 District Magistrate. 1 Sessions Judge. 1 Judicial Commissioner. Officers exercising original jurisdiction only. 1 1st Class Magistrate. 8 2nd Class Magistrates. 11 3rd Class Magistrates.	3	20

* Includes the figures of the Judicial Commissioner's Court.

II. B. JUDICIAL—CRIMINAL.

1. *Statement showing the General Result of the Trial of European British Subjects in Coorg in the year* 1886.

| Description of Offence. | Number of persons accused and brought before a Magistrate. | | | | | | | | Persons whose cases were disposed of— | | | | | | | |

II. B. JUDICIAL—CRIMINAL.

1. *Statement showing the General Result of the Trial of European British Subjects in Coorg in the year* 1886.

Description of Offence.	Number of persons accused and brought before a Magistrate. Remaining at the close of the previous year.	Within the year. On complaint, Section 191 (a), Criminal Procedure Code.	On Police Report, Section 191 (b) of the Code.	By Magistrate suo motu, Section 191 (c) of the Code.	On transfer from another Province.	Total.	Died, escaped or transferred to other Provinces.	Number actually brought to trial.	Persons whose cases were disposed of— By District Magistrates and other 1st Class Magistrates. Received by transfer under Section 451 B of the Code.	Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged.	Committed. To Court of Session.	To High Court.	Transferred by order under Section 451 B of the Code.	Total omitting entries in columns 10 and 15.	By Courts of Sessions. Received by transfer under Section 461 B of the Code.	Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged.	Transferred to High Court under Section 449 of the Code.	Total inclusive of column 17.	By High Court. Convicted.	Acquitted.	Total.	Total for all Courts. Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged.	Total.	Number of persons under trial at the close of the year.	Number of cases. Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending	Number of persons who applied to the High Court for an order under Section 498 of the Code.	Of those entered in column 5, number who applied under Section 2, Act III of 1884, for transfer or committal of their cases.	Number of persons who applied to the High Court under Section 526 of the Code for the transfer of their cases.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Offences affecting the human body, Chapter XVI. — Offences affecting life ..																																	
Causing miscarriage; injuries to unborn children, exposure of infants; and the concealment of births ..																																	
Hurt		3			...	3	..	3	...	3	.	...	...	...	3	...	..	.	...	...	.	..	..	3	...	3	...	3	3	...	...	...	...
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement.																																	
Criminal force and assault	...	2		..	...	2	..	2	.	1	1	.	..	..	2	...	...		...	...	...	...	.	1	1	2	...	2	2	...	...	...	...
Kidnapping, forceable abduction, slavery and forced labor ...																																	
Rape																																	
Unnatural offence ..																																	
Offences against property, Chapter XVII.* — Theft	...		1	...	...	1	.	1	.	.	1	..		...	1	...	..		...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	.	...	...	...
Extortion																																	
Robbery and dacoity ..																																	
Criminal misappropriation of property ...																																	
Criminal breach of trust.																																	
Receiving of stolen property																																	
Cheating																																	
Fraudulent deeds and disposition of property																																	
Mischief	...	1	.		...	1	...	1	...	1	...	.	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	1	...	1	..	1	1	...	...	..	...
Criminal trespass ...																																	
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, Chapter XVIII																																	
Criminal breach of contracts of service, Chapter XIX																																	
Offences relating to marriage, Chapt. XX.																																	
Defamation, Chapter XXI... ...																																	
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance, Chapter XXII																																	
Offences under special and local laws ...																																	
Total.....	...	6	1	..	...	7	..	7	...	5	2	...	.	...	7	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	5	2	7	...	7	7	...	...	...	...

Subsidiary Table.

Of the total number of Persons shown in— Column 16. Number who claimed to be tried by a mixed jury, Section 451 A (1) of the Code.	Number who did not so claim.	Column 21. Number of those in column 35 (1) whose cases were transferred under Section 451 B of the Code.	Number who claimed a mixed number of Assessors, Section 451, (2) of the Code.	Number who did not so claim.	Column 21 to 24. Number who claimed to be tried by a mixed jury, Section 451 (1) of the Code.	Number who did not so claim.	Of cases shown in column 30. Disposed of by Magistrates. Being European British subjects.	Other than European British subjects.	Disposed of by Sessions Judges. Being European British subjects.	Other than European British subjects.
35							36			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
...	7	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...

II. B. JUDICIAL—CRIMINAL.

2. *Statement of Offences reported and of Persons tried, convicted and acquitted of each Class of Offences in the Province of Coorg in the year 1886.*

Description of Offence.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases returned as true.	Number of cases brought to trial during the year.	Number of Persons— Under trial during the year, including pending from previous year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred to another Province.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Offences against the State, Chapter VI of the Indian Penal Code	...	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	
Offences relating to Army and Navy, Chapter VII.	...		...	...	..	...	...	...	
Do against the public tranquility „ VIII.	3	3	3	51	34	17	..	...	
Do by or relating to public servants „ IX.	4	4	4	5	5	...	...	..	
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants „ X	12	12	12	14	6	8	...	...	
False evidence and offences against public justice „ XI.	54	54	45	54	21	32	..	1	
Offences relating to coin and Government stamps „ XII.	1	1	1	1	..	1	...	...	
Do relating to weights and measures „ XIII.	12	11	12	15	2	13	...	...	
Do affecting the public health, safety convenience, decency and morals „ XIV.	8	7	7	17	..	15	1	1	
Do relating to religion „ XV.	4	3	3	4	3	1	..		
Offences affecting human body, Chapter XVI. — Offences affecting life ..	28	22	10	13	2	8	1	2	
Causing of miscarriage, injuries to unborn children, exposure of infants, and the concealment of births ...	5	3	2	4	2	2		...	
Hurt	78	67	66	129	104	25	.	...	
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement	25	18	18	23	18	4	.	1	
Criminal force and assault ...	472	442	436	855	677	164	1	13	
Kidnapping, forcible abduction, slavery and forced labour . ..	17	12	9	19	10	9	.	...	
Rape . ..	5	2	1	1	1		..	...	
Unnatural offence ...	2	2	1	1		1		...	
Offences against property, Chapter XVII — Theft ...	321	205	182	347	189	129	2	27	
Extortion	7	1	1	2	2	...	..	..	
Robbery and dacoity	12	5	5	9	7	2	..	.	
Criminal misappropriation of property .. .	10	8	8	11	5	5		1	
Criminal breach of trust	66	52	47	55	32	20	...	3	
Receiving of stolen property	20	18	16	20	9	11		.	
Cheating	16	12	9	13	9	3	...	1	
Fraudulent deeds and disposition of property ...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	..	
Mischief	147	124	118	207	168	36	..	3	
Criminal trespass ...	61	44	40	66	46	20		..	
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, Chapter XVIII	6	4	3	4	2	1	.	1	
Criminal breach of contracts of service do XIX	...	.	...	...		...	..	...	
Offences relating to marriage do XX	15	8	7	18	14	3	...	1	
Defamation.. . ... do XXI	10	8	8	16	14	2	...	...	
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance ... do XXII	289	272	269	407	301	93	...	13	
Offences under Special and Local Laws.									
Act No. III of 1867 (Gambling Act)	1	1	1	10	..	10		..	
Act No. V of 1861 (Police Act)	51	51	51	62	3	59		..	
Act No. I of 1871 (Cattle Trespass Act) ..	38	38	38	64	46	18	.	...	
Northern India Ferries Act ..	3	3	3	3	1	2	.		
Municipal Bye-Laws	6	6	6	13	3	3		7	
Excise Act	12	11	11	14	9	5		...	
Coorg Forest Rules	3	3	3	11	1	10		...	
Coffee Stealing Prevention Act	15	14	14	34	3	30	.	1	
Vaccination Act	3	2	2	11	10	1		...	
Chapter VIII, Criminal Procedure Code (Security for good behaviour) ...	1	1	1	5	5	.	..	.	
Do for preserving the peace ...	1	1	1	18	...		..	18	
Breach of Contract Act No. XIII of 1859 ..	1,529	391	391	659	443	216	.	..	
Indian Arms Act (XI of 1868)	...	...	...	1	..	1	...	...	
Total	3,372	1,947	1,866	3,287	2,208	980	5	94	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CRIMINAL.

3. *Statement of Miscellaneous Proceedings under the Criminal Procedure Code in the Province of Coorg during* 1886.

Nature of Proceedings.	Total number of cases before the Courts during the year.	Number of persons concerned.	Number of persons discharged.	Number of persons convicted.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1. Proceedings against witnesses under Chapter VI C and Section 485	...	.	...	.	
2. Proceedings under Chapter VIII to prevent breach of the peace	1	18	.	...	18 pending.
3. Proceedings under Chapter VIII—Security for good behaviour	1	5	5	...	
4. Proceedings against local nuisances, Chapter X	1	5	5	..	
5 Possession, Chapter XII		...	...	...	
6. Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under Chapter XX, Section 250	13	13	..	13	Rs. 58 were awarded as compensation.
7 Non-attendance of jurors or assessors, Chapter XXIII, Section 332	...		...	...	
8. Contempts of Court under Chapter XXXV	...		..	...	
9. Maintenance, Chapter XXXVI	12	12	5	7	
10. Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under Chapter XLII	6	6	2	3	1 pending.
Total.....	34	59	17	23	

4. *Statement showing the General Result of Criminal Trials in the Tribunals of Various Classes in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

Class of Court.	Total number of persons under trial.	Persons whose cases were disposed of.					Persons remaining under trial at the end of the year	Number of cases disposed of during the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses examined.	Remarks.
		Died, escaped or transferred to another Province.	Discharged or acquitted.	Convicted: On regular trial.	Convicted: On summary trial.	Committed or referred.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Court of Sessions	46	...	21	23	...	...	2	30	18	249	
Chief Magistrate of the District	191	...	78	42	8	40	23	80	10	348	
Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly	3,215	5	2,109	907	...	125	69	1,745	8·5	5,701	
Total.....	3,452	5	2,208	972	8	165	94	1,855	9·04	6,298	

5. *Statement showing the Punishments inflicted by the various Criminal Tribunals in the Province of Coorg in the year 1886.*

Class of Tribunals	Persons sentenced to—										Detail of Punishment.																Number of boys whose sentences were commuted to detention in a Reformatory School.
			Imprisonment								Fine.									Imprisonment.					Whipped.			
	Death.	Transportation.	Penal servitude.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine.	Whipping.	Persons ordered to find or give security or recognizance to keep the peace, or security for good behaviour.	Persons imprisoned in default of security for good behaviour.	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines imposed during the year.	Total amount of fines realized during the year.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	15 days and under.	6 months and under.	2 years and under.	7 years and under.	Above 7 years.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Court of Sessions ..	3		...	17	3	...	7	.	..		.	3	4	..	..	..	550 0 0	207 15 0	...	1	8	6	4	1	...	...	...	...
District Magistrate	.	...		32	3	.	12	5	..	.	3	5	2	2	...	..	485 0 0	231 1 7	40 0 0	4	10	21	...	...	1	...	4	...
Superintendent Magistrates sitting singly .	.	.	...	175	24	...	579	4	...	...	408	92	75	4	...	...	4,678 5 0	4,184 3 1	700 2 0	104	85	10		..	1	2	1	...
Total ..	3	..	...	224	30	...	598	9	...	...	411	100	81	6	..	...	5,693 5 0	4,673 3 8	740 2 0	109	103	37	4	1	2	2	5	...

II. B. JUDICIAL.—Criminal.

PART I.

5a. Statement showing the Particulars of Whipping inflicted by the Criminal Tribunals in Coorg during 1886 *under Sections* 2 *and* 3, *Act VI* 1864, *in lieu of other Punishments.*

Offence for which awarded.	Number of stripes awarded.												Total.
	5 and under.		6 to 10.		11 to 15.		16 to 20.		21 to 25.		26 to 30.		
	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
In lieu of other punishments (Sections 2 and 3, Act VI 1864.)													
1. Theft as defined in { Section 379 I. P. C. ... / do 380 do / do 381 do / do 382 do	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	.		2	...	6
2. Extortion as defined in { do 388 do / do 389 do													
3. Dishonestly receiving stolen property as defined in— { do 411 do / do 412 do													
4. Lurking house-trespass as defined in— do 443 do													
5. Do by night as defined in do 444 do													
6. House-breaking as defined in— do 445 do													
7. Do by night as defined in— do 446 do													
8. Offence under Section 14, Act III of 1880.													
Total.....	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	. .	2	...	6

II. B. JUDICIAL—CRIMINAL.—*Concluded.*

PART II.

Statement showing Whippings inflicted in addition to other Punishments, Sections 3 and 4, Act VI, 1864.

Offence for which awarded.	Number of stripes. 5 and under.	6 to 10.	11 to 15.	16 to 20.	21 to 25.	26 to 30.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
In addition to other punishments (Sections 3 and 4.)							
A—Section 3.							
1 Theft as defined in... ... Section 379 I. P. C.	...	.	...	...	...	2	2
do 380 do	...	...	...	...	..	1	1
do 381 do							
do 382 do							
2 Extortion as defined in ... do 388 do							
do 389 do							
3 Dishonestly receiving stolen property, as defined in do 411 do							
do 412 do							
4 Lurking house-trespass, as defined in do 443 do							
5 Do by night as defined in do 444 do							
6 House-breaking as defined in do 445 do							
7 Do by night as defined in do 446 do							
8 Offence under Section 14, Act III, 1880.							
B.—Section 4.							
1 False evidence as defined in Section 193 I. P. C.							
do 194 do							
do 195 do							
2 False charge of unnatural offence as defined in do 211 do							
do 377 do							
3 Assault as defined in do 354 do							
4 Rape as defined in do 375 do							
5 Unnatural offence as defined in do 377 do							
6 Robbery as defined in do 390 do							
7 Dacoity as defined in do 391 do							
8 Attempt at robbery as defined in do 393 do							
9 Hurt in committing robbery as defined in do 394 do							
10 Receiving stolen property, as defined in do 413 do							
11 Forgery as defined in do 463 do							
do 466 do							
do 467 do							
do 468 do							
do 469 do							
12 Lurking house-trespass as defined in do 443 do							
13 Do by night as defined in do 444 do							
14 House-breaking as defined in do 445 do							
15 Do by night as defined in do 446 do							
Total ...	...	...	..	..	...	3	3

PART III.

Statement showing Whippings inflicted under Section 5, Act VI, 1864, on Juveniles for offences other than those specified in Parts I and II.

Offence.	Stripes. 5 and under. 1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	6 to 10 1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	11 to 15. 1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	16 to 20. 1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	21 to 25. 1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	26 to 30. 1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Section 193 I. P. C.													
do 249 do													
do 323 do													
do 324 do													
do 325 do													
do 352 do													
do 354 do and do 5 Act VI of 1864													
do 376 I. P. C.													
do 377 do													
do 379 &c. I. P. C													
do 471 I. P. C.													
do 431 do													
do 448 do													
do 451 do													
Sections 456 & 511 I. P. C.													
Railway Act IV of 1879													
Total ..													

PART IV.

Statement showing relative number of times Whipping was awarded, as compared with other Punishments.

Punishments.	Number.	Remarks.
1	2	3
Total number of whippings awarded	9	
Total number of other punishments	971	
Percentage of whipping	·91	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CRIMINAL.

6. *Statement showing the Result of Appeal and Revision in Criminal Cases in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

Tribunals.	Number of Persons.											Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.	Remarks.
	Total number of appellants and applicants for revision before the Courts.	Died, escaped, transferred to another Province.	Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentence or order confirmed.	Sentence enhanced.	Sentence reduced or otherwise altered.	Sentence reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	New trial or further enquiry ordered.	Referred for revision to the High Court.	Pending trial.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
APPEALS.													
To Chief Magistrates of Districts.	139	...	...	65	...	8	34	...	...	23	9	12	
,, Courts of Sessions	17	...	3	8	...	2	1	..	...	...	3	7	
,, Judicial Commissioner's Court. By persons convicted ...	6	...	1	3	...	2	..	...	...	..	...	17	
,, Judicial Commissioner's Court. By Government from judgments of acquittal	...	...	..	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total	162	...	4	76	..	12	35		.	23	12	11·65	
REVISION.													
By Chief Magistrates of Districts	...	..	...	..	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	..	
,, Courts of Sessions	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	.	.	...	...	
,, Judicial Commissioner's Court	25	1	..	12	1	1	3	7	..	...	...	11·76	
Total.	25	1	...	12	1	1	3	7	...	...	...	11·76	
Grand Total ...	187	1	4	88	1	13	38	7	...	23	12	11·67	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CIVIL.

7. *Statement showing the Number and Description of Civil Suits instituted in the Civil Courts in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

Class of Tribunals.	Suits for money or movable property.										Suits under the Rent Law.								Title and other Suits.																	Grand Total.	Remarks.
	Contract in writing.	Contract not in writing.	On account stated.	Money lent and received.	Goods sold.	Wages, work and materials.	Rent not falling under the Rent Law.	Movable property or value thereof.	Damages.	Other suits for money or movables not already mentioned.	Arrears of rent with or without ejectment or cancelment of lease.	Enhancement or abatement of rent.	Relating to distraint.	Damages for extortion or withholding receipts, or on account of illegal restraint or other cause.	For pattahs or kabulyats.	For ejectment or recovery of possession.	For recovery of money or accounts from agents.	All other suits under the Rent Law not included above.	Suits for immovable property.	Suits for declaratory decree.	Other suits under the Specific Relief Act.	Suits to declare and establish rights to real property including pre-emption, foreclosure, &c.	Suits to declare and establish personal rights.	Suits for an account.	Suits relating to religious endowments.	Suits to set aside judgments, contracts or obligations on the ground of fraud.	Suits for dissolution of marriage.	Suits for enforcement of matrimonial rights.	Suits for partition.	Suits relating to shipping.	Suits relating to religion and caste.	Administration suits.	Interpleader suits.	Dissolution of partnership.	Suits under Section 261, Act X of 1865 (also Hindu Wills Act.)	Other suits not falling under any of the previous heads.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
Parpattigars' Courts ...	284	2	85	89	.	9	10	48	14	.	..	.	...	..	...	.	.	..	.	.	..	...	..	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	546	
Subedars' Courts	741	24	51	111	2	19	33	89	23	...	.	.	..	..	.	.	..	...	40	..	.	...	11	..	.	1	..	7	...	...	1	...	..	...	...	6	1,159	
Munsiffs' Courts ...	744	49	169	4	3	6	5	40	12		...	.	.		...	..		..	23	..	.	...	10	...	...	5	...	2	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	1	1,073	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court . ..	52	...	2	.	..	..	..		1	..	...	...	..	.	.	...	...	..	3	..	...	.	1	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	1	60	
1st Asst. Commissioner's Court.	50	..	..	.					2	...	...	...	..	...		...	..	.	.	..		.	..	.		2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	5	59	
District Judge's Court	10	..	1	..	..	...	..	...	1	...		...	.	..		...	...	...	2	.		...		...	...	..	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	14	
Total.. ...	1,881	75	308	204	5	34	48	177	53	...	.	...	..	..		...		..	68	..	.	...	22	..	..	8	...	9	...	..	1	...	..	..	...	18	2,911	

8. *Statement showing the Number and Value of Suits instituted in the Civil and Revenue Courts in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

Value of Suits.	Number of Suits instituted in the different Courts.									Total Value of Suits.			Remarks.
	Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Ditto Rs. 50.	Ditto Rs. 100.	Ditto Rs. 500.	Ditto Rs. 1,000.	Ditto Rs. 5,000.	Ditto Rs. 10,000.	Exceeding Rs. 10,000.	Number of Suits, the value of which cannot be estimated in money.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11			12
Parpattigars' Courts ...	127	419	...	...	...	.	...	.	...	12,519	7	5	
Subedars' Courts ..	138	643	359	...	...	...	...	...	19	43,405	1	11	
Munsiffs' Courts ...	87	307	106	562	...	...	...	...	11	1,41,576	13	3	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	..	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	42,512	9	10	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	..	...	..	...	3	56	...	...	...	1,00,844	8	11	
District Judge's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	3	...	4,32,740	15	10	
Total	352	1,369	465	562	63	62	5	3	30	7,73,599	8	2	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CIVIL.

9. *Statement showing the General Result of the Trial of Civil and Revenue Cases in the Courts of Original Jurisdiction in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

PART I.—CIVIL SUITS.

Class of Courts.	Total Number of Suits before the Courts.	Number of Suits disposed of.										Pending at the close of the year.	Number of cases pending more than three months at the close of the year.	Average duration of Suits.		Remarks.
		Transferred to Courts in other Provinces.	Without trial.	Without contest.				On reference to arbitration.		With contest.						
				Compromised.	Decreed on confession.	Decreed ex-parte.	Dismissed ex-parte.	For Plaintiff.	For Defendant.	Judgment for Plaintiff in whole or in part.	Judgment for Defendant.			Contested.	Uncontested.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
CIVIL COURTS																
Parpattigars' Courts	566	.	126	7	171	155	5	...	..	66	11	25	1	23	37	
Subedars' Courts	1,212	.	219	66	348	283	2	...	...	196	45	53	2	48	24	
Munsiffs' Courts	1,223	.	69	56	286	439	11	...	...	237	60	65	13	84	37	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	65	...	5	7	16	17	...	...	...	14	...	6	...	54	26	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	67	..	4	5	13	15	...		.	17	1	12	1	88	49	
District Judge's Court	17	..	2	3	3	1	...	...	...	3	2	3	...	154	88	
Total	3,150	.	425	144	837	910	18	..	...	533	119	164	17	65	29	

PART II.—MISCELLANEOUS CASES.—*Judicial.*

Class of Courts.	Total Number of Cases before the Courts.	Number of Cases disposed of.										Pending at the close of the year.	Number of cases pending more than three months at the close of the year.	Average duration of cases contested and uncontested.	Remarks.
		Transferred to Courts in other Provinces.	Without trial.	Without contest.				On reference to arbitration.		With contest.					
				Compromised.	Decreed on confession	Decreed ex-parte	Dismissed ex-parte.	For Plaintiff.	For Defendant	Judgment for Plaintiff in whole or in part.	Judgment for Defendant.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
CIVIL COURTS.															
Parpattigars Courts	70	...	12	..	28	4	3	...	...	17	5	1	...	7	
Subedars' Courts	159	..	22	9	12	12			...	77	23	4	...	11	
Munsiffs' Courts	366	...	14	5	11	159	66	.		66	29	16	1	14	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	109	...	12	2	..	18	4	...	...	38	11	15	...	18	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	76	...	9	...	4	14	1	...	...	30	10	8	...	19	
District Judge's Court	62		15	...	...	30	...	..	.	5	8	4	...	35	
Total	833	..	84	16	55	237	74	...	..	233	86	48	1	15	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—Civil.

10. *Statement showing the business of the Civil and Revenue Appellate Courts of the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

PART I.—Appeals from Decrees.

Class of Courts.	Total number of Appeals before the Courts.	Transferred to Courts in other Provinces.	Decisions confirmed, Section 551, Civil Procedure Code.	Dismissed for default, or otherwise not prosecuted.	Heard ex-parte. Confirmed.	Heard ex-parte. Modified.	Heard ex-parte. Reversed.	Heard ex-parte. Remanded.	Contested. Confirmed.	Contested. Modified.	Contested. Reversed.	Contested. Remanded.	Pending.	Of these, pending more than three months.	Average duration of Appeals.	Objections under Section 581, Act X of 1877.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	46		..	1	[illegible]	4	1	...	11	18	4		5	.	43	..	
District Judge's Court	56		1	2				..	31	8	7	1	6	...	61	...	
Total ..	102	.	1	3	2	4	1	..	42	26	11	1	11	...	52·89	.	
Judicial Commissioner's Court. — Appeals from Original decrees	4	..			1				1	2	...	...		.	97·5	...	
Judicial Commissioner's Court. — Appeals from Appellate decrees	18	.	11	1	..	..	1	.	4	...	1	.		.	54·27	.	
Total	22	...	11	1	1	..	1	..	5	2	1	.	..	.	62 13	...	
Grand Total ..	124		12	4	3	4	2		47	28	12	1	11	...	54·68	...	

PART II.—Miscellaneous (Judicial) Cases before Appellate Courts.

Class of Courts	Miscellaneous cases before Appellate Courts.	Decisions confirmed, Section 541, C. P. C.	Transferred to Courts in other Provinces.	Dismissed for default or otherwise not prosecuted.	Contested. Confirmed.	Contested. Modified.	Contested. Reversed.	Contested. Remanded.	Heard ex-parte. Confirmed.	Heard ex-parte. Modified.	Heard ex-parte. Reversed.	Heard ex-parte. Remanded.	Pending.	Of these, pending more than three months.	Average duration of Miscellaneous cases before Appellate Courts.	Objections under Section 551, Act X of 1877.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	5		...	...	...	...		...	2	3	..	..	...	..	15	...	
District Judge's Court	7	3	...	1		...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	14	...	
Judicial Commissioner's Court. — Appeals from Original decrees	..	..	...	.	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Judicial Commissioner's Court. — Appeals from Appellate decrees	...	...	...	..	..			..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total	12	3	...	1	...	...	..	...	4	3	...	...	1	...	11	...	

II. B. JUDICIAL—CIVIL.

11. *Statement showing the Result of Proceedings on Applications for the execution of Decrees of the Civil and Revenue Courts in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

Class of Courts.	Total number of Applications for the execution of decrees before the Courts.	Applications disposed of— By transfer	Satisfaction obtained in full.	Satisfaction obtained in part	Wholly infructuous	Pending at the end of the year.	Number of Applications pending more than three months at the close of the year.	Amount realized. With the issue of process	Without the issue of process	Number of Applications. On which the judgment-debtor was imprisoned.	On which he was arrested, but released without imprisonment.	On which movable property— Was sold	Was attached, but subsequently released.	On which immovable property— Was sold.	Was dealt with under Sections 305, 322 or 328, Act X of 1877.	Was attached, but subsequently released under Section 275.	On which possession was given— Of movables.	Of immovables.	On which specific performance was enforced.	On which partition was effected.	On which execution was effected otherwise than the preceding columns.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Parpattigars' Courts	163	..	80	21	50	12		1,439 9 5	...	..	4	14	30	..	..	...		...	...	...	...	
Subedars' Courts . .	1,038		312	204	447	75	2	13,249 0 6	251 0 0	1	54	122	220	3		4	.	9	..	.	...	
Munsiffs' Courts ..	1,399		313	245	687	154	1	35,020 0 11	2,766 12 0	22	83	158	353	7	..	28	...	6	...	...	...	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	202		16	52	92	42	1	13,727 1 8	498 7 5	2	5	23	51	1	1	3	...	2	...	.	..	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	69		13	5	28	23		1,281 8 9		4	..	6	36	1	..	7	...	...	...	...	...	
District Judge's Court	16	.	2	2	8	4	..	1,889 12 1		.	1	2	4	.		..	...	...	...	...	..	
Total	2,887	...	736	529	1,312	310	4	66,616 1 4	3,516 3 5	29	147	325	694	12	1	42	...	17	...	...	...	

12. *Statement showing the Number and Result of Applications and Proceedings under Chapter XX. Act X of* 1877. *in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

Class of Courts.	Applications for a declaration of insolvency: Total number for hearing.	Transferred to another Province, withdrawn, &c.	Granted. A Receiver being appointed	A Receiver not being appointed.	Rejected. Penal proceedings under Section 359 not being taken	Sentence of imprisonment being passed under Section 359	Applicant being sent to the Magistrate to be dealt with	Pending at the close of the year	Number of Insolvents discharged during the year under Section 355	Number of Insolvents' estates in the hands of Receivers in which proceedings were finally closed during the year	Amount of creditors' claims dealt with during the year. Admitted.	Satisfied.	Gross Amount of insolvents' assets realized and disbursed. Realized during the year.	Disbursed during the year.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Munsiffs'	3	1	..	1		..		1	.	...	...	...	...	..	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's	2	..	...	1	1	.		.	...	.	...	...	...	...	
Total	5	1		2	1	...	...	1	..	...	...	...	...	..	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—Civil and Criminal.

13. *Statement showing the use of Juries and Assessors in the Civil and Criminal Courts in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886.

Classes of Courts in which Jurors or Assessors are employed, distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case, and prescribed qualifications	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases tried with Assessors.	Jury Trials.					Assessors' Trials.			Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.		Number of persons of the verdict in respect to whom the Judge disapproved,		Number of cases in which Judge agreed with Assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from—		
					Wholly.	Partially.	Whose cases he referred under Sec. 263, C. P. C.	Whose cases he did not refer under Sec. 263, C. P. C.		One Assessor.	Both Assessors.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I.—CIVIL COURTS.												
Chief Courts of Districts (or officer specially empowered) acting under Act X of 1870 } Assessors												
II.—CRIMINAL COURTS.												
Magistrates' Courts under Chapter XXXIX, C. P. C. Assessors												
Courts of Session . Assessors...	2	...	30		...	...	.	...	24	1	5	
Judicial Commissioner's Court, Criminal Jurisdiction Assessors .												
Total	2	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	24	1	5	

II. B. REGISTRATION.

14. *Statement of Deeds registered in the Registration District of Coorg for the year* 1886—87.

Offices.	Registrations affecting immovable property, Book I. — Compulsory.												Registrations affecting immovable property, Book I. — Optional.										Registrations affecting movable property, Book IV.													Receipts										
	Number of Registration Offices.	Instruments of gift, Section 17, Clause 1.	Instruments of sale of the value of Rs. 100 and upwards.	Instruments of mortgage of the value of Rs. 100 and upwards.	Acknowledgment of consideration on account of ditto.	Other instruments registered under Section 17, Clause 2.	Perpetual leases, Section 17, Clause 4.	All leases other than perpetual leases which have been compulsorily registered under Section 17, Clause 4.	Total of compulsory registrations.	Ordinary fees paid for the same.			Instruments of sale of the value of less than Rs. 100.	Instruments of mortgage of the value of less than Rs. 100	Acknowledgment of consideration on account of do.	Leases for one year or less, Section 18, Clause 3, and leases exempted under proviso of Section 17	Awards, Section 18, Clause 4.	Miscellaneous registrations other than certified copies of decrees and orders of Courts.	Certified copies of decrees and orders of Courts.	Total of optional registrations relating to immovable property.	Ordinary fees paid for the same.			Total value of immovable property transferred.	Instruments of sale of movable property.	Obligations for the payment of money, Section 18 Clause 7.	All other documents registered under Section 18, Clause 7.	Total of Registrations in Book IV.	Ordinary fees paid for the same.			Number of sealed covers deposited, Book V.	Number of wills registered, Book III.	Number of written authorities to adopt other than those conferred by wills, Book III.	Number of Registrations under Section 24.	Number of Registrations under Section 34.	Number of refusals to register.	Number of powers of attorney attested.	Number of searches or applications for copies.	Total of ordinary fees including the entries in columns 11, 20 and 26, and the total fees paid for registrations under column 29.			Total extraordinary fees and fines.			Total.			Total Expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11			12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20			21	22	23	24	25	26			27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35			36			37			38			39
Inspector General of Registration ...	1																																																			
Coorg	8	3	203	239	.	28	..	8	481	3,230	8	0	41	29	.	1		3	1	75	63	0	0	10,96,580	0	0	30	49	59	138	439	0	0	..	1		3	8	4	23	74	3,736	4	0	658	4	0	4,394	8	0	2,025	14	3	
Total	9	3	203	239	...	28	...	8	481	3,230	8	0	41	29	..	1	..	3	1	75	63	0	0	10,96,580	0	0	30	49	59	138	439	0	0	..	1	...	3	8	4	23	74	3,736	4	0	658	4	0	4,394	8	0	2,025	14	3	

II. C. PRISONS.

General Summary.

Statement showing the Distribution of the Prisoners of all Classes confined in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1886.

1	2	3	4			5			6			7			8			9			10		
Station.	Place of confinement.	Classes of Prisoners.	Remained at the commencement of the year.			Received during the year.			Total.			Discharged from all causes.			Remaining at end of the year.			Daily Average Number of each class.			Total Daily Average of whole Jail.		
			M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.
Mercara.	Divisional Jail.	Convicts ...	83	5	88	206	15	*221	289	20	309	203	15	218	86	5	91	80·49	5·96	86·45	89·92	6·88	96·80
		Under-trial.	11	...	11	226	26	252	237	26	263	228	25	253	9	1	10	6·90	·81	7·71			
		Civil ...	3	...	3	27	2	29	30	2	32	27	2	29	3	...	3	2·53	·11	2·64			
		Total	97	5	102	459	43	502	556	48	604	458	42	500	98	6	104						
	Taluk Lock-ups.	Convicts ...	...	.	.	68	...	68	68	.	68	67	..	67	1	...	1	1·01	...	1·01	7·30	·35	7·65
		Under-trial	3	.	3	420	31	451	423	31	454	421	29	450	2	2	4	6·29	·35	6·64			
		Police	...	.	..	.	..	..	..	...	...	...	.	.	..	...	...	..	...	...			
		Total .	3	.	3	488	31	519	491	31	522	488	29	517	3	2	5		...	...			
		Grand Total.	100	5	105	947	74	1021	1047	79	1126	946	71	1017	101	8	109	...	...	...	97·22	7·23	104·45

*The difference in the figures entered in the total of column 5 compared with the figures at page 3 of the Report is due to the circumstance that the 83 under-trial prisoners who were convicted (vide column 8 of Statement XIX) are twice counted over in the General Summary.

JUDICIAL.—(FOR CONVICTS ONLY.)

1. *Statement showing the Number and Disposal of the Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1886.*

1	2	3		4		5		6				7			8				9								10		11		12		13		14		15		16		
Serial Number.	Jails.	Remained at the close of the previous year.		Imprisoned during the present year.		Total.		Received from other Jails. A To undergo sentence		Received from other Jails. B In transit for transportation, or to other Jails.		Grand Total.			Transferred to other Jails. A To undergo sentence.		Transferred to other Jails. B For transportation beyond seas, &c.		Released during the year. A On appeal.		Released during the year. B On expiry of sentence.		Released during the year. C Under Remission Rules.		Released during the year. D By order of Government. a On account of sickness		Released during the year. D By order of Government. b On other grounds		Transported beyond seas.		Transferred to Lunatic Asylum.		Escaped.		Executed.		Died.		Remaining at the end of present year.		Daily average number.		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
3	Mercara ...	83	5	120	13	203	18	86	2		..	289	20	309	..		...	..	16	1	165	13	5	1	.	.	...	..	7		.	..	.	..	3		7	...	86	5	80·49	5·96	86·45
	Total ..	83	5	120	13	203	18	86	2		...	289	20	309	..		.	.	16	1	165	13	5	1	..	.		...	7	.		.	...	.	3	.	7		86	5	80·49	5·96	86·45
	Add for Subsidiary Jails		.	68		68			.	..	.	68	.	68	.	.	.		1	.	66	.	.	.	...		...			.		.		...		...	..	1	.	1·01	...	1·01
	Grand Total ..	83	5	188	13	271	18	86	2		..	357	20	377	...		..	..	17	1	231	13	5	1	.	.	...	.	7		...	...	.		3	..	7	.	87	5	81·50	5·96	87·46

2. *Statement showing the Religion, Age, and Previous Occupation of the Convicts admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1886.*

1	2	3														4								5																						6		
Serial Number.	Jails.	Religion. A Christians a Europeans				A Christians b Eurasians				A Christians c Natives.		B Mohammedans.				C Hindus and Sikhs.				D Parsis and Jains.				E All other classes.				Age. A Under 16				Age. B 16 to 40.				Age. C 40 to 60				Age. D Above 60				Previous occupation. Males. A Persons employed under Government or Municipal authorities.				Previous occupation. Males. B Professional persons.				Previous occupation. Males. C Persons in service or performing personal offices.				Previous occupation. Males. D Persons engaged in agriculture and with animals				Previous occupation. Males. E Persons engaged in commerce and trade.				Previous occupation. Males. F Persons employed in mechanical art, manufactures, and engineering operations, &c.				Previous occupation. Females. G Miscellaneous persons not classed otherwise				Previous occupation. Females. H Married.				Previous occupation. Females. I Unmarried.				Previous occupation. Females. J Widows.				Previous occupation. Females. K Prostitutes.				Total.		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F

II. C. PRISONS.—JUDICIAL.

3. *Statement showing the Convicts admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886, *and those remaining on the* 31st *December of that year, according to the nature and length of sentences.*

1	2	3	4																						5		
Serial Number.	Jails.	Nature of imprisonment of those admitted, as explained at foot.	Numbers according to length of sentence.																						Total.		
			A		B		C		D		E		F		G		H		I				J				
			Not exceeding one month.		Above one and not exceeding three months		Above three months and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.		Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding 10 years.		Sentenced to transportation beyond seas — A For life.		Sentenced to transportation beyond seas — B For a term.		Sentenced to death.				
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total.
1	Mercara ..	A	4	.	9	1	2	...	..	..	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..		..	15	1	16
		B	40	2	82	7	40	1	15	3	2	1	.	..	1	...	...	...		..	...	..	2	...	182	14	196
		C	..	...	...	...	.	..	...	...	2		3		1	...		...	.	..	...	...	..	.	6	...	6
		D	..	...	...	..	1		1	..	1	..	...	..		..	.	.	..	.			.	.	3	..	3
	Total of admissions ...	..	44	2	91	8	43	1	16	3	5	1	3	..	2	.		...	..		...	..	2	...	206	15	221
	Total remaining on the 31st Dec.	...	2	.	17	...	14	1	11	3	5	1	23	.	14	..	.	.		.	...	..	..	.	86	5	91
2	Taluk Lock-ups ...	A	68		.	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	.		...			.	...		..		...	..	68	...	68
	Total of Admissions.	..	...	.	..			...	.	.		...	.		.	..	..		...	..		...	...		.	.	.
	Total remaining on the 31st Dec. ..	...	.	..	...	.	.	.		...	.	...	...	...	...	..	.	.	..		...	...	...	...	...	.	...
	Grand Total. { of admissions / remaining on 31st December }	...	114	2	108	8	57	2	27	6	10	2	26	..	16	...	...		..	.	..	.	2		360	20	380

4. *Statement showing the Convicts admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails during the year* 1886, *who had been previously convicted.*

1	2	3			4									5			6					
Serial Number.	Jails.	Number admitted during the year			Number previously convicted.									Ratio per cent of column 4 D to column 3			Juvenile prisoners under 16 years of age (Section 399 of the Criminal Procedure Code)					
					A		B		C		D						A			B		
					Once.		Twice.		More than twice.		Total.						Number admitted during the year			Number previously convicted		
		M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M	F	M.	F.	M.	F	Total	M	F.	Total.	M	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total
1	Mercara ..	206	15	221	10	..	4	...	.	.	14	...	14	6·79	..	6·33	5	..	5	...	...	...
2	Taluk Lock-ups.	68	...	68	2	...	...	.	...	.	2	...	2	...	..	..	...	...	.	...	...	...
	Total.....	274	15	289	12	...	4	...	...	...	16	.	16	6·79	...	6·33	5	...	5	...	...	...

5. *Statement showing the escapes and re-captures of Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3	4			5			6			7		
Serial Number.	Jails.	Remaining uncaptured on the 31st December 1885 of those who escaped during the previous ten years.	Escaped during the year.			Re-captured during the year.			Remained uncaptured.			Unexpired portion of sentence of those who escaped during the year.		
			A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
			From inside the Jail.	From outside the Jail.	Total.	Of those who escaped in previous ten years	Of those who escaped during the year.	Total.	Of previous years.	Of the year.	Total.	Under one year.	Above one and under seven years.	Above seven years.
1	Mercara	13	.	..	...	...	...	...	13	..	13	...	...	...
2	Taluk Lock-ups	1	..	...	...	...	...	..	1	..	1	...	...	...
	Total...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	14	...	...	...

II. C. PRISONS.—JUDICIAL.

6. *Statement showing the Offences committed by the Convicts, and the Punishments inflicted on them, in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3		4		5						6												7	8
						Breaches of Jail Rules.						Punishments inflicted.													
												A		B By Jail Officers.									C		
Serial Number.	Jails.	Average number of convicts.		Criminal offences.		Smoking or having possession of forbidden articles.		Offences relating to work		Other offences against prison discipline		By Criminal Courts.		a Solitary confinement.		b Reduced diet		c Solitary confinement with reduced diet.		d Corporal punishment.	e Other punishments.		Total punishments.	Ratio of column 6c to column 3.	Ratio of column 6d to the total number of other jail punishments inflicted on male prisoners.
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		M	F			
1	Mercara ..	80·49	5·96			18	..	8	.	21		...	..	7		8	...	3	..	9	*20	...	47	54·36	23·68
2	Taluk Lock-ups.	1·01	..		...		..			...		.	...	..		...	..	.		..	...	...	...	...	...
	Total....	81·50	5·96	..	..	18	..	8	...	21	.	..	..	7	...	8	.	3		9	*20	.	47	54·36	23·68

*Warned 11
Forfeiture of marks 9
Total... ..20

7. *Statement showing the State of Education of the Convicts imprisoned in and released from the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg for the year* 1886.

1	2	3		4						5		6		7		8						9					
				Of those in column 3 there were—												Of those in column 7 there were when they entered Jail—						Of those in column 7 there were when they left Jail—					
Serial Number.	Jails.	Number imprisoned during the year.		Unable to read or write.		Able to read or write a little.		Able to read or write well.		Daily average number of Convicts.		Daily average number under instruction.		Number released during the year who had been under instruction in Jail.		Unable to read and write.		Able to read and write a little.		Able to read and write well.		Unable to read and write.		Able to read and write a little.		Able to read and write well.	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
1	Mercara..	206	15	154	15	33		19	.	80·49	5·96	75·04	..	193	..	153		27	.	13	..	30	.	120	...	43	...
2	Taluk Lock-ups	68	..	51	..	8	..	9	.	1·01	...	..			.	..	.	...	.		..	...		.		...	...
	Total .	274	15	205	15	41	.	28	..	81·50	5·96	75·04	..	193	...	153	..	27	..	13	.	30	...	120	.	43	.

8. *Statement showing the Employment of Convicts as Prison Officers in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during* 1886.

1	2	3		4		5		6		7		8
Serial Number	Jails.	Average number of Convicts		Average number employed as Prison Officers.		Ratio per cent of column 4 to column 3.		Total number employed as Prison Officers.		Number of reductions or other punishments.		Remarks.
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
2	Mercara	80·49	5·96	5·88	·89	7·30	14·93	6	1	9	.	
3	Taluk Lock-ups ...	1·01	...	...	.	..	...	.	.	..	...	
	Total....	81·50	5·96	5·88	·89	7·30	14·93	6	1	9	...	

II. C. PRISONS.—JUDICIAL.

9. *Statement showing the Scales of Diet in force in the Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3	4
Diet scales of labouring prisoners.	Diet scale of non-labouring prisoners.	Punishment diet scale.	Note of any change effected in diet scales during the year.
Mercara Divisional Jail ...	... The scale of diet in force in the Mercara Jail is in accordance with Resolution D dated 2nd December 1878, from the Inspector General of Jails in Coorg, and similar to that laid down in the Mysore Jail Manual and was brought into effect on 1st March 1879.		
Taluk Lock-ups ...	... East Indian convicts at 6 annas per diem and Natives at 2 lbs rice and 3 pies a day.		

FINANCIAL.

10. *Statement showing the expenditure in guarding and maintaining the Prisoners in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886, *excluding the cost of building new Jails, of additions, alterations or repairs.*

1	2	3				4				5				6				7								8				9				10	11			12
Serial Number.	Jails.	Average number of prisoners.				Rations.				Establishment.				Police Guard.				Hospital Charges.								Clothing.				Contingencies.					Total Cost per head of average strength.			Serial Number.
						A				A				A				A				B				A				A								
		Convicts	Under-trial	Civil	Total.	Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength excluding civil prisoners.			Total cost.	Cost per head of average strength.			Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength			Total Cost	Cost per head of average strength.			Cost per head of average number sick.				Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength.			Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength.			Grand Total.				
						Rs	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	As	P.	Rs.	As.	P.		Rs.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	As.	P.	
1	Mercara ..	86 45	7 71	2 64	96 80	3,932 0 2	41	12	1	2,394 10 8	24	11	8	1,771 10 0	18	4	8	28 4 8	0	4	7	...	...	...		511 13 0	5	14	6	779 6 0	8	0	9	9,417 12 6	97	4	6	
2	Taluk Lock-ups ...	1 01	6 64	...	7 65	238 7 11	35	1	6	...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	...	.	.	...	...	...		.	.	.	...	89 11 4	11	11	7	338 3 3	46	13	1	
	Total.	87 46	14 35	2 64	104 45	4,260 8 1	40	3	5	2,394 10 8	22	14	9	1,771 10 0	16	15	4	28 4 8	0	4	4	...	...	...		511 13 0	4	14	4	869 1 4	8	5	1	9,775 15 9	93	9	6	

11. *Statement showing the Expenditure in guarding and maintaining the Prisoners in the Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886 (*excluding cost of building new Jails, of additions, alterations or repairs*) *compared with the expenditure on the same account in each of the three preceding years.*

1	2	3				4				5				6				7				8				9
Serial Number.	Jails.	Cost of rations per head of average strength.				Cost of establishment and police guard per head of average strength				Cost of all hospital charges per head of average strength.				Cost of clothing per head of average strength.				Cost of contingencies per head of average strength.				Total cost per head of average strength.				Serial No.
		1883	1884	1885	1886	1883	1884	1885	1886	1883	1884	1885	1886	1883	1884	1885	1886	1883	1884	1885	1886	1883	1884	1885	1886	
		Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	Rs A	
1	Mercara	52 3	52 2	41 8	41 12	37 14	47 12	44 4	43 0	3 4	4 9	0 6	0 4	4 6	5 11	6 1	5 14	8 8	10 2	9 1	8 0	103 10	117 5	99 0	97 4	1
2	Taluk Lock-ups.	.	.	.	.	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Total ..	52 3	52 2	41 8	41 12	37 14	47 12	44 4	43 0	3 4	4 9	0 6	0 4	4 6	5 11	6 1	5 14	8 8	10 2	9 1	8 0	103 10	117 5	99 0	97 4	1

II. C. PRISONS.—FINANCIAL.

12. *Statement showing the employment of Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7												8	9		
						Average number employed on working days.													Ratio per cent on column 4 of those employed on working days as—		
						A	On Prison duties.					On Jail buildings.				K	L				
							B	C	D	E	F	Additions and alterations.		New Jails.							
												G	H	I	J						
Serial Number.	Name of Jail.	Average number not sentenced to labor.	Average number under sentence of labor on working days.	Average number sick.	Average number convalescent and infirm.	On unremunerative labor	Prison Officers.	Prison Servants.	Gardening.	Employed in preparing articles for use or consumption in Jails, e. g., wheat-grinding, manufacturing of prison clothing, &c.	Jail repairs.	Under Superintendent.	Under Public Works Department	Under Superintendent.	Under Public Works Department.	Manufactures.	Public Works.	Number of prisoners hired out to Municipalities, private individuals, or departments other than the P. W. Dept.	Prison Officers.	Prison Servants.	On manufactures (7 K).
1	Mercara ...	2·32	65·84	5·45	...	...	6·77	10·81	3·11	5·24	10·23	..	...	...	...	28·23	...	10	10·28	16·41	42·87
2	Taluk Lock-ups.	...	1·01	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	.	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...
	Total	2·32	66·85	5·45		..	6·77	10·81	3·11	5·24	10·23			...	...	28·23	...	10	10·28	16·41	42·87

13. *Statement showing the net cash earnings of Convicts sentenced to labor in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3	4	5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14
Serial Number.	Name of Jail.	Average number sentenced to labor.	Average number employed on Jail manufactures.	Cash balance on manufacturing account in hand on the 1st January 1886.		Cash drawn on manufacturing account during year.		Total.		Paid into Treasury on manufacturing account.		Cash balance in hand on manufacturing account on the 31st December 1886.		Total.		Cash earnings (being total of column 10 less total of column 7).		Average earning per head calculated on column 3.		Average earning per head calculated on column 4.		Remarks.
				Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		
1	Mercara .	65·84	28·23	..	.	4,741	0	4,741	0	8,051	14		...	8,051	14	3,310	14	50 4 7		117 4 6		
2	Taluk Lock-ups.	1·01	...	...	.	...	0	..	..	...	.	..	...	.	...	...	..	...		...		
	Total	66 85	28·23	.	.	4,741	0	4,741	0	8,051	14	...	...	8,051	14	3,310	14	50 4 7		117 4 6		

14. *Statement showing the net cost of the Prisoners in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3		4		5		6		7		8		9
Serial Number.	Name of Jail.	Total cost of maintenance (column 10, Statement X).		Average cost of maintenance per head (column 11, statement X).		Total cash earnings (column 11 of statement XIII.)		Average cash earnings per head of average strength.		Net cost to Government (column 3 minus column 5).		Average net cost per head of average strength (column 4 minus column 6).		Remarks.
		Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	
1	Mercara	9,417	12	97	4	3,310	14	34	3	6,106	14	63	1	
2	Taluk Lock-ups.	358	3	16	13	..	...		..	358	3	46	13	
	Total.....	9,775	15	93	9	3,310	14	34	3	6,465	1	109	14	

II. C. PRISONS.—VITAL.

15. *Statement showing the sickness and mortality among Prisoners of all classes in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3			4			5			6			7			8			9			10			11			12											
Serial Number.	Jails.	Number of persons that can be accommodated in the parts of the Jails devoted to convicts under-trials and civil prisoners, but exclusive of Hospital and Observation Cells.			Average daily strength.			Maximum population on any one day.			Number admitted into Hospital.			Daily average number of sick.			Number of deaths in and out of Hospital.			Deaths from fever.			Deaths from bowel-complaints.			Deaths from cholera.			Ratio per mille of average strength.											
																													A			B			C			D			E		
																													Of admissions into Hospital.			Of daily average number sick.			Of deaths from cholera.			Of deaths from all other causes.			Of deaths from all causes both in and out of Hospital.		
		M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.
1 Mercara.	Convicts ...	107	6	113	80·49	5·96	86·45	90	5	95	147	25	172	4·40	·71	5·11	7	..	7	3	...	3	2	...	2	...	...	...	1826·31	4194·63	1989·58	54·66	119·12	59·10	...	...	...	86·96	...	80·97	86·96	...	80·97
	Under-trials ...	15	4	19	6·90	·81	7·71	17	...	17	10	4	14	·27	·07	·34	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1449·27	4938·27	1815·82	39·13	86·41	44·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Civil Prisoners .	6	4	10	2·53	11	2·64	4	..	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total	128	14	142	89·92	6·88	96·80	111	5	116	157	29	186	4·67	·78	5·45	7	...	7	3	...	3	2	...	2	...	...	...	1745·99	4215·11	1921·48	51·93	113·37	56·30	...	...	...	77·84	...	72·31	77·84	...	72·31
2 Taluk Lock-ups	..	...	...	...	..	...	.	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total....	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	..	...	..	.	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

16. *Statement showing the admissions and deaths from the chief diseases among the Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3																								4							
Serial Number.	Jails.	A		B		C		D		E		F		G		H		I		J		K		Ratio of admissions and deaths per mille of average strength from—							
		Small-pox.		Intermittent Fever.		Remittent and continued Fever.		Other Fevers.		Cholera.		Scrofula and Phthisis Pulmonalis.		Anæmia and general debility.		Respiratory Diseases.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Jaundice.		Ulcers and Boils.		Intermittent Fever.		Remittent and continued Fever.		Cholera.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	
		A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D
1	Mercara	...	...	76	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	4	1	46	2	...	...	2	...	944·21	37·27	...	...	...	...	571·49	24·84
2	Taluk Lock-ups ...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
	Total.....	...	...	76	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	4	1	46	2	...	...	2	...	944·21	37·27	...	...	...	...	571·49	24·84

II. C. PRISONS.—VITAL.

17. *Statement showing the mortality, according to age, among the convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg, during the year* 1886.

1	2	3						4						5						6						7					
Serial Number.	Jails.	Under 16 years.						16 to 40.						40 to 60.						Over 60.						Total.					
		Average number.		Death.		Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.		Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.		Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.		Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.		Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
1	Mercara.	2·13	...	1	...	469·48	...	67·15	5·96	5	...	74·46	...	11·21	...	1	...	89·20	...	...	...	..	..	. .	...	80·49	5·96	7	...	86·96	...
2	Taluk Lock-ups.	...	...	..	...	.	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total.....	2·13	...	1	...	469·48	...	67·15	5·96	5	..	74·46	...	11·21	...	1	...	89·20	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	80·49	5·96	7	...	86·96	...

18. *Statement showing the mortality among the Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg, during the year* 1886, *according to length of time passed in Jail.*

1	2	3			4			5			6			7			8		
Serial Number.	Jails.	Under 6 months in Jail.			From 6 to 12 months.			From 1 to 2 years.			From 2 to 3 years.			From 3 to 7 years.			Above 7 years.		
		Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.
1	Mercara	23·89	6	251 15	11·10	...	.	20·03	1	49·92	16·40	.	...	10·05	...	...	4·98	...	...
2	Taluk Lock-ups ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total	23·89	6	251·15	11·10	..	...	20·03	1	49·92	16·40	..		10·05	...	...	4·98	...	...

19. *Statement showing particulars regarding prisoners under trial in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3		4		5			6			7			8			9		10		11		12		
Serial Number.	Jails.	Number remaining at the close of previous year.		Number received.		Total.			Average daily number.			Released.			Convicted and sentenced.			Transferred		Escaped.		Died.		Remaining on 31st December 1886.		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total.
1	Mercara ...	11	...	226	26	237	26	263	6·90	·81	7.71	155	15	170	73	10	83	.	...	.		...	...	9	1	10
2	Taluk Lock-ups ...	3	...	420	31	423	31	454	6·29	·35	6·64	199	25	224	221	4	225	..	..	1	...	. .	. .	2	2	4
	Total.....	14	...	646	57	660	57	717	13·19	1·16	14·35	354	40	394	294	14	308	...	...	1	.	..	...	11	3	14

II. C. PRISONS.

Statement A showing the nature and amount of accommodation for each class of Prisoners in the Jails of Coorg at the close of the year 1886.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Serial Number.	Name of Jail.	Description of accommodation.	Number of Prisoners who could be accommodated on 31st December 1886 in the part of the Jail devoted to—															Spent on Jail buildings during the year.		Remarks.
			Hospital		Observation cells.		Civil prisoners.		Under trial.		Europeans.		Juvenile convicts.	Female convicts.	Male convicts.	Grand Total	Superficial area per prisoner within enclosing wall in square yards.	By Jail Department.	By Public Works Department.	
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F								
1	Merara ...	Cells	...	.	..		.	...	...	...		...	..		6	6				
		Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation.																		
		Do without ..	6			.	6	4	15	4	2		4	6	89	136				
		Total ..	6			...	6	4	15	4	2		4	6	95	142	6			
		Total average population .																		

Statement B showing the condition of the Prisoners discharged from the Jails of Coorg during the year 1886.

1	2	3	4	5					6					7
Serial Number.	Jails.	Number discharged during the year.	Number who had neither lost nor gained weight in Jail.	Number who had gained weight.					Number who had lost weight.					Remarks.
				a	b	c	d		a	b	c	d		
				Up to 1 lb.	From 1 to 5 lbs.	From 5 to 10 lbs.	Over 10 lbs.	Total.	Up to 1 lb.	From 1 to 5 lbs.	From 5 to 10 lbs.	Over 10 lbs.	Total.	
1	Merara ...	218	56	28	74	5	1	108	28	22	5	...	54	

Statement C. Annual Return showing the working of the Mark System to be submitted by Superintendents of Jails.

1	2										3									4
Names of all convicts released during the year who were granted remission or gratuity for marks earned by industry (with or without special marks.)	Amount of remission in days gained by each convict entered in column 1 according as he was—										Amount of gratuity earned by each convict entered in column 1 according as he was—									Remarks.
	Sentenced to—										Sentenced to—									
	Two years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Not exceeding 4 years.	Not exceeding 5 years.	Not exceeding 6 years.	Not exceeding 7 years.	Not exceeding 8 years.	Not exceeding 9 years.	Not exceeding 10 years	Exceeding 10 years.	Two years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Not exceeding 4 years.	Not exceeding 5 years.	Not exceeding 6 years.	Not exceeding 7 years.	Not exceeding 8 years.	Not exceeding 9 years.	Not exceeding 10 years	Exceeding 10 years.
Borah	..	76	...	..	...	...	.	.	..	..	..	1-15-11		..	...	...	.	..	.	..
Ch. Kallappah . .	..	...	104				...	.	...	...	...	...	2-11-6	.	...	...	...	..	.	.
Basava Gowda	56	.	..	.	...	...	...		..	..	1-7-5	...	...	..	.	...		..	..	.
Ira	...	53	..	.	..		.	.	..	...	..	1-4-7	...	...	.	.	.	...	...	.
Litchmi	. .	. .	107	..	.		...		...	.	. .	...	2-8-9	...	..	..	...	..	...	.
Govindah	14	..					...	..	...	..	0-1-4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Total..	2	2	2	.	..	...	...	.	..	.	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	..	..
Number who came under the mark system but failed to gain remission .	...	.	...	...	.	.				...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total released who came under the mark system	2	2	2		...	...	.	.	.	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	

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Statement C showing the working of the Mark System during the year 1886

1	2	3	4										5										6										7			8			9
Serial Number.	Jails	Number released during the year who came under the mark system for industry, but failed to gain remission.	Number of convicts released during the year who gained remission under the mark system										Maximum remission days gained by any convict released during the year.										Average remission gained by the convicts entered in column 4.										Maximum gratuity earned by any convict released during the year.			Average gratuity earned by the convicts entered in column 4.			Remarks.
			Sentenced to—										Sentenced to—										Sentenced to—																
			Two years exactly	Not exceeding 3 years.	4 years.	Do 5 years	Do 6 years.	Do 7 years	Do 8 years	Do 9 years.	Do 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.	Two years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Do 4 years.	Do 5 years.	Do 6 years.	Do 7 years.	Do 8 years.	Do 9 years	Do 10 years	Exceeding 10 years	Two years exactly	Not exceeding 3 years.	Do 4 years.	Do 5 years.	Do 6 years.	Do 7 years	Do 8 years.	Do 9 years.	Do 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.							
1	Meerut		2	2	2	...	..	.		..	...	.	56	76	107	.		.	...	.	.	..	35	64	105	.	..	...	...	..	.	..	2	11	6	1	10	11	

H. C. PRISONS.

Statement D showing the nature of the crimes for which convicts were imprisoned in the Mercara Jail in 1886.

1	2																						3		
	Convicts admitted to jail during the year 1886, under sentence not exceeding—																								
	A		B		C		D		E		F		G		H		I				J				
Sections of Penal Code classified.	One month.		Above one and not exceeding three months.		Above three and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.		Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding ten years.		Sentenced to transportation beyond seas.				Sentenced to death.		Total.		
																	A — For life		B — For a term.						
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total.
Causing disappearance of evidence	..		...	..	.		1	.	.	...				.	...		...		..		..	...	1	...	1
Giving false evidence in a judicial proceeding	2		7	2	6	.	1	.	...	..	.	..	...		.		...		...		..		16	2	18
Abetment of any offence	2	.		..	.		.		...	...	..	.	..		...		..	..		..	.	...	2	..	2
Framing an incorrect document as a public servant	1	..	..		...		...	...	.		...		..	...	..	.				...		...	1	...	1
False charge of offence with intent to injure	...		...	1	1		.	..	...		...	.						...	.	..	...	...	1	1	2
Escape from confinement negligently suffered by a public servant	2		..				..				...	...	.	..		...		.			...	.	2	...	2
Culpable homicide not amounting to murder	..	..			..	.	..	1	...	..			...		.		...		...		.	...	...	1	1
Attempt to commit suicide	2	...		.	...	.	..	..	...	...		.	...	...			..	.	...	...	...	..	2		2
Aggravated cases of hurt and doing act dangerous to human life	2	..	6	..	3	...	.		.	.	...	...		.	..	.	..	.	...	..	..	...	11	..	11
Murder			...	.	..	..	.	...		.		.	..			...	...	.			2	...	2	...	2
Aggravated assault	5	.	12	...	1	...	...	...		...	.				.	...	...	...	...	..	.	...	18	...	18
Causing death by rash or negligent act			1		..	...	...	..	...		...			.	..	...		...	...	.	...	..	1	...	1
Detaining a married woman with criminal intent		.	1	...	.	...		...	..	..	...	.			..		...	...	...	...		...	1	...	1
Wrongfully confining any person	...			...	2		.	..	.	..	...	..			...	...	...	.		...	..	...	2	.	2
Kidnapping		1	1	.	2		3	1	...		..				...	...			.	..	...	...	6	2	8
Mischief by killing an animal	.	...	3	...	1			..	..			.	.	..	.	...	.	..	...	.	..	..	4	..	4
Causing abortion		.		.	...	.	..		...	1		...	..	.			..	...	...	.	.	...	...	1	1
Criminal intercourse with an animal			..	.	..	..	1	.	.	...	..	...		..		.	...	..	.	...	...	..	1	...	1
Preventing a child from being born alive	.	...	1	...	...		...	...	.	.	...			.	.	...	.	..	.	.		...	1	...	1
Trespassing in a place of sepulture and offering indignity to a human corpse		..		...	1	..	..	...	.					..	...	..	..		..		...	...	1	..	1
Administering stupifying drug with intent to cause hurt			.			.	..		1		2	..	1	...	.	...			...	...	..	...	4	...	4
Dishonest misappropriation of moveable property	2		...	..	...		..		...	..	...	.		..		..	...	...	...		...	...	2	..	2
Cheating	1	.	1			.	.		...	.	..	..	..			...	..	...		..	...	...	2	..	2
Theft including theft in building by servants &c.	12	1	20	5	6	.	7		1	.	.		...	...	.	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	70	6	76
Receiving stolen property	2	...	2		3	.	1	.	1	...	..		.	...	.			...	...	.	...	...	9	..	9
Robbery	..	...	.	...	.	.	1	1	.				...		.	.	...	.	...	..	..	...	1	1	2
Criminal breach of trust	3		8	..	3	...	1	...	..	.	1	..	...	..		...		..	...	...	...	..	16	..	16
House-breaking and house-trespass	3	.	5	...	...		..		2	.	..		1			..	...	...	...	..	...	..	11	...	11
Assisting in concealment of stolen property	...	..	...	...	...	1		.		.	...	...		..		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Insult intended to provoke a breach of peace	1	...	1	...	..	.	...	..	.			..			.			...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Criminal intimidation	1	...	1		...		.		...		.			...		.		.	..	...	...	.	2	...	2
Breach of contract	1	..	11	.	...	.	.		..	...	.	...	..	..				.	...	...	...	..	12	...	12
Section 29 of Police Act 1879	2	...	..	..	...	..	..	.	...	.		..		..	.	...		.	...	...	....	...	2	...	2
Total	44	2	91	8	43	1	16	3	5	1	3	...	2	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	2	...	206	15	221

Statement showing the number of cases in which fetters were imposed on prisoners in the Mercara Jail for the year 1886.

Nature of cases in which fetters were imposed or worn.	Length of time for which fetters were imposed or worn.											
	Under 1 month.		One to three months.		Three to six months.		Six to twelve months.		Over 12 months.		Total.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
PART I.												
As a punishment for offences against discipline ...	.	...	..	..	...	..	.	.	..	...	...	...
(1) By order of a Magistrate	.	.			..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...
(2) By order of the Jail Superintendent ...	.	..	...	..		...		...	...	...	...	...
PART II.												
For safe custody ...	.	..	...	..	..			...		...	...	...

Statement showing the number of habitual offenders admitted into the Mercara Jail for the year 1886.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Jails.	Number of convicts admitted during the year.	Number of convicts in column 3 identified as habitual offenders before conviction, and whose previous convictions appear in the record of proceedings at the trial.	Number of convicts in column 3 not so identified and whose previous convictions did not so appear, but who were, after arrival in Jail, identified by the Jail officials as having been previously convicted.	Number of prisoners who confessed themselves to be habituals	Total number of habituals.
1	Mercara ..	221	7	7	.	14
	Total	221	7	7	.	14

II. D.

PART

Return of Cognizable Crime for

Serial Number.	Law under which punishable.	Description of Crime.	Cases.																
			Reported to have been committed during the year, whether taken up by Magistrates, Police, or otherwise, including all false accusations of cognizable offences.	Number of reported cases in column 4 not coming under Section 157 clauses (1) and (2) Criminal Procedure Code.	Reported to have been committed in previous years and brought under enquiry during the year.	Cases pending before the Courts from previous year.	Number of cases in columns 4, 6 and 7 decided.	Number of cases in columns 4, 6 and 7 ending in conviction.	Percentage of cases investigated by Police to cases reported.	Percentage of cases ending in conviction to cases decided.	Investigated by Police.			Number of cases in columns 12 to 14.			Percentage of Police cases ending in conviction to cases investigated.	Percentage of Police cases ending in conviction to cases decided.	Number of cases declared by Magistrate to be false and never to have occurred.
											Supported.	By order of Magistrate on complaint, or in consideration of which no process was given to the Police.	By order of Magistrate after Police enquiry.	A. Ending in conviction.	B. Ending in acquittal or discharge.	C. Pending at close of year before Magistrate or Sessions Court.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17	18
1	115 ...	Abetment of offence not committed &c	.	..		.			.		...		.				.	...	...
	117 ...	Abetting commission of offence by public &c	.	.	.		..	...	.	..	.				.			.	...
	118, 119 ...	Concealing design to commit offence &c.		.				..			...	.		..		.	...	...	..
		Total ..		..			..						..	.				..	...
		Class I—Offences against the State, public tranquility, safety, and justice																	
2	131 to 136, 138	Offences relating to Army and Navy				.						.		...	.	..	.	..	..
3	231 to 263, 467 and 471 ..	Offences relating to coin, stamps, and Government Notes	.	..		..	.					.				.	..	...	...
4	212 to 216	Harbouring an offender	...	.		..		.				.		.	..			...	...
5	224 to 226 ..	Other offences against public justice	1	..	...	.	1	1	100	100	1	.		1	.		100	100	...
6	143 to 153, 157, 158	Rioting or unlawful assembly	2	1			1	1		100	2	..		1	..	..	50	100	...
7	140, 170, 171	Personating public servant or soldier ...	...	.		.						.	..	.	..	.	.	...	...
		Total ...	3	1			.	2	100	100	3			2	.		66·66	100	..
		Class II—Serious offences against the person.																	
8	302, 303, 396 ...	Murder .. by thug	.	.	...		.						..	...				..	..
9		„ dacoits	..		.		.					.	.	.		.	...	...	...
10		„ robbers						...	.			..	..	.		...	...	...	...
11		„ poison	.	.	..	.	..	..								.		..	..
12		Other murders ...	5	..	.	2	7	3	100	42·85	7	..		3	3	1	42·85	100	..
13	307 ..	Attempt at murder ..	2	1	.		1	.	100		2				1	.		...	...
14	304, 308 .	Culpable homicide ..	3	.	...		3	3	100	100	3	.	.	3	..	..	100	100	...
15	376	Rape ..	2	...	.		2	..	100	..	2	.		...	1	1	..	...	..
16	377	Unnatural offences	1	.			1	1	100	100	1	..	.	1			100	100	...
17	317, 318 ..	Exposure of infants or concealment of birth	2	1		.	1	1	100	100	2	...	.	1	..		50	100	..
18	305, 306, 309	Attempt at, and abetment of suicide ..	4	2	.	..	2	2	100	100	4	...	..	2		..	50	100	...
19	329, 331, 333 .	Grievous hurt for the purpose of extorting property or compelling or deterring public servant .	...					..			..	.		..		..	..	...	...
20	325, 326, 335 .	Grievous hurt	...							.		.	..	...	..	..	..	...	...
21	328	Poisoning or stupefying drugs to commit	.	..	..		..				.	...	.	.	...	..	...	...	...
22	327, 330, 332 ..	Hurt for purposes of extorting property or compelling or deterring public servant ...										...	—	...		.	...	...	...
23	324	Hurt by dangerous weapon	20	8		3	15	7	100	46·66	23	...	...	7	6	2	30·43	53·84	...
24	363 to 369	Kidnapping or abduction .	12	4			8	4	100	·0	9	1	...	4	2	...	40	66·66	...
25	346 to 348 ..	Wrongful confinement and restraint in order to force for purpose of extortion	...	..	...		..	...	..	...		...	..		...	...	..	...	..
26	372, 373 ..	Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a minor for prostitution.		.	.	..	..	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	..	..		...	...
27	371 ..	Habitually dealing in slaves	.	..	...	..		...	..	...	.	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...
28	353, 354, 356 357 ...	Criminal force to public servant or women, or in attempt to commit that, or wrongfully confine	19	6		1	14	9	100	64·28	20	.	...	9	5	...	45	65·71	...
29	304 A 338 ...	Rash or negligent act causing death or grievous hurt	.	.	...		.	...	...	...	..	..	..	.	...	.	...	...	...
		Total ..	79	22	.	6	54	30	97·36	55·55	73	·1	...	30	18	4	40·54	62·5	...

POLICE.

I.

the year 1886 *in the province of Coorg.*

Persons.																												Property.						
Pending at the end of last year.	Received by transfer.	Number arrested or appeared on other process during the year.		Total of columns 19 to 22.	Died, escaped, or transferred without being brought before a Magistrate for trial.	Released without being brought before a Magistrate.	Percentage of persons released in Police cases without being brought before a Magistrate to persons arrested by Police.	Number actually brought before a Magistrate for trial.	Acquitted or discharged after appearance before a Magistrate.		Finally convicted (including persons ordered to give security for good conduct).		Number of persons shown in columns 30 and 31 who were sent up by the Police.	Percentage of persons convicted in Police cases to persons arrested by the Police.	Percentage of persons convicted in Police cases to persons sent up for trial.	Otherwise disposed of, e.g., died, transferred, admitted as approver, &c., after commencement of trial.	Number pending at end of year.				Number of cases in which property was stolen.	Number of cases in which property was recovered.	Percentage of cases in which property was lost to cases in which property was recovered.	Amount of property stolen.	Amount of property recovered.	Percentage of value of property recovered to value of property lost.	Remarks.
		Arrested by Police.	Appearing under order of Magistrate.						By Magistrate.	By Sessions or High Court.	By Magistrate.	By Sessions or High Court.					Before appearance before a Magistrate.											
																	In custody of Police.	On bail.	Under trial before Magistrate.	Committed to Sessions.								
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
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5	...	82	...	87	...	2	02·43	85	22	5	32	18	47	57·31	55·29	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	

Serial Number.	Law under which punishable.	Description of Crime.	Cases. Reported to have been committed during the year, whether taken up by Magistrates direct or by the Police, and including all false accusations of cognizable crimes.	Number of reported cases in column 4 not enquired into under Section 157 clauses (a) and (b) Criminal Procedure Code.	Reported to have been committed in previous years and brought under enquiry during the year.	Cases pending before the Courts from previous year.	Number of cases in columns 4, 6 and 7 decided.	Number of cases in columns 4, 6 and 7 ending in conviction.	Percentage of cases investigated by Police to cases reported.	Percentage of cases ending in conviction to cases decided.	Investigated by Police. Suo motu.	By order of Magistrate on complaint, or of his own motion in which no previous information was given to the Police.	By order of Magistrate after Police refused to enquire.	Number of cases in columns 12 to 14. A. Ending in conviction.	B. Ending in acquittal or discharge.	C. Pending at close of year before Magistrate or Sessions Court.	Percentage of Police cases ending in conviction to cases investigated.	Percentage of Police cases ending in conviction to cases decided.	Number of cases declared by Magistrate to be false and never to have occurred.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17	18
		Class III.—Serious offences against person and property or against property only.																	
395, 397, 398	Dacoity		1	.	...	1	2	.	100	.	2	..		.	2	..	...	...	...
399, 402	Preparation and assembly for dacoity		...	...	..	...	.			..	.	...		..	.	...	...	...	...
394, 397, 398	Robbery with hurt.	By poisonous or stupifying drugs		...	...	...	..									.	..	.	...
		By other means	..	..			...			.			.			...	..	...	.
392, 393	Robbery	In dwelling house		..	.		.			.	..			..	...		...	...	..
		On the highway, between sun-set and sun-rise	..	..	...	.	.		...								..	...	...
		Other robberies	11	8	...	.	3	1	100	33·33	11			1	2	...	09 09	33 33	...
270, 281, 282, 430 to 433, 435 to 440	Serious mischief and cognate offences		19	10	...		9		100		19	.	.	..	9	.		..	...
428, 429	Mischief by killing, poisoning, or maiming any animal		..	..	.	..	..	..		...		...	...			..	...	...	...
454, 455, 457 to 460	Lurking house-trespass or house-breaking with intent to commit an offence, or having made preparation for hurt		33	9	.	1	25	6	66·66	24	22	...	..	6	7	...	27·27	46·15	...
449 to 452	House-trespass with a view to commit an offence or having made preparation for hurt		...	...	..	...	..	..			..	.	.	.	.	.	...	...	...
412, 413	Receiving stolen property by dacoity or habitually		.	..	...	.		...						..		.	.	..	...
311, 400, 401	Belonging to gangs of thugs, dacoits, robbers and thieves			.	..	.		...	...					.		..	...	...	...
		Total	64	27		2	39	7	82·31	17·94	54		.	7	20	...	12·96	25·92	..
		Class IV.—Minor offences against the person.																	
341 to 344	Wrongful restraint and confinement		25	5	..	1	21	4	48	19·09	13			2	5	1	15·37	28.57	.
336, 337	Rash act causing hurt or endangering life		...		...					.				..	.	...	..	.	...
374	Compulsory labor		.	.	.		.					.	...	.	...	...	...	...	...
		Total	25	5	...	1	21	4	48	19·09	13			2	5	1	15·37	28·57	..
		Class V.—Minor offences against property																	
453, 456	Lurking house-trespass or house-breaking.			.	..		..		..	...	..		.	...	...	...	.	...	...
379 to 382	Theft	Of cattle	2	1	...		1	...	100		2	.		...	1	...	...	...	...
		Ordinary	319	127	...	27	219	219	84·01	100	262	6		75	59	6	27·98	55·96	...
406 to 408	Criminal breach of trust		66	18	.	4	52	20	62·12	38·46	41			10	13	..	24·38	43·47	...
411, 414	Receiving stolen property		20	2	...	1	19	11	·60	57·89	12	...	.	5	5	.	41·66	20	...
447, 448	Criminal or house-trespass		61	8	.	..	53	15	26·22	28·30	14	2	..	4	4	.	80	59	.
461, 462	Breaking closed receptacle		1	..	...		1	.	100		1	.		...	1		...	...	...
		Total	469	156	.	32	345	265	72·49	76·81	332	8	.	94	83	6	27·64	53·10	...
		Class VI.—Other offences not specified above																	
295 to 297	Offences against religion		2	..	...	.	2	2	100	100	2	...	..	2	...	..	100	100	...
Chapter VIII, (B) C. P. C. and Act IX of 1874	Vagrancy and bad character		...		...	.		..		...	..		...	..	..	..	...	...	...
Cognizable offences under the Acts specified	Offences against Gambling Act					.	.	...		.	...	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
	Excise Laws		12	2		..	10	6	33·33	60	4	...	..	2		...	50	100	...
	Police Rules		51	...	..	...	51	50	66·66	98·03	34		..	34	...	...	100	100	...
	Coffee Act		15	..		...	15	12	60·	80	9	...	...	8	1	...	100	99·99	...
	Pound Act		38	.	...	.	38	18	2·63	47·36	1	..	...	1	...	...	100	100	...
	Arms Act		...	...		.		...	.	...	...	.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
269, 277, 279, 280, 283, 285, 286, 289, 291 to 294, Section 34 of Act V of 1861 and any other Municipal or Local Laws.	Public and local nuisances		4	1	.	..	3	3	100	100	4	...	...	3	...	...	75	100	...
		Total	122	3	..	...	119	91	44·26	76·47	54	...	...	50	1	...	92·59	98·90	...
		Grand Total	753	214	...	41	580	399	71·31	68·79	529	9	...	185	127	11	34·45	59·29	...

I.—*Concluded.*

Pending at the end of last year.	Received by transfer.	Number arrested or appeared on other process during the year. Arrested by Police.	Appearing under order of Magistrate.	Total of columns 19 to 22.	Died, escaped, or transferred without being brought before a Magistrate for trial.	Released without being brought before a Magistrate.	Percentage of persons released in Police cases without being brought before a Magistrate to persons arrested by Police.	Number actually brought before a Magistrate for trial	Acquitted or discharged after appearance before a Magistrate. By Magistrate.	By Sessions or High Court.	Finally convicted (including persons ordered to give security for good conduct). By Magistrate.	By Sessions or High Court.	Number of persons shown in columns 30 and 31 who were sent up by the Police.	Percentage of persons convicted in Police cases to persons arrested by the Police.	Percentage of persons convicted in Police cases to persons sent up for trial.	Otherwise disposed of, e.g., died, transferred, admitted as approvers, &c., after commencement of trial.	Number pending at end of year. Before appearance before a Magistrate. In custody of Police.	On bail.	Under trial before Magistrate.	Committed to Sessions.	Number of cases in which property was stolen.	Number of cases in which property was recovered.	Percentage of cases in which property was lost to cases in which property was recovered.	Amount of property stolen.	Amount of property recovered.	Percentage of value of property recovered to value of property lost.	Remarks.
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
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		15	..	15	.	3	20·	12	5		7		7	46·66	58·33	...	..		.		6	6	100	438	196	44·74	
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8	.	43	.	51		23	53·48	28	18	1	9		9	20·93	32·13	...	...			.	7	7	100	441	199	45·10	
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9	..	238	100	347	11	31	13·02	305	169	...	129		104	43·69	51·48	..	...	.	7		47	38	80·85	1948	994	51·02	
...	...	31	24	55		7	22·58	48	28	...	20	...	10	32·25	41·66			..	...		6	4	66·66	420	333	79·28	
1	.	13	6	20	.			20	9		11	.	5	28·46	61·53	..	...		.		3	3	100	98	73	74·48	
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...	...	74	124	198	..	...	...	198	61	.	137		73	98·64	98·64		...	...	...	.	.	...		...	.	...	
23	..	531	904	858	13	71	13·37	774	363	6	372	18	267	50·28	53·50	...	...	...	11	4	65	54	83·07	2931	1823	55·37	

PART II.—RETURN OF NON-

Serial Number.	Law under which punishable.	Description of Crime.	Cases: Average institution of five preceding years.	Instituted by complaint during the year.	Taken up by Magistrate of his own motion.	Total of columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	115 ...	Abetment of offences not committed, &c. ...	...	...	...	...
	117 ..	Abetting commission of offence by public, &c ...	...	...	.	.
	118, 119 ...	Concealing design to commit offence	...		..	...
		Total ...	...		.	
		Class I.—Offences against the State, public tranquility, &c. &c.				
2	121 to 130, 505	Offences against the State			..	.
3	137 ...	Harbouring deserters by Master of Ship ...		.	.	..
4	172 to 190, 201 to 204, 213 to 215, 227, 228 ..	Offence against public justice	20	28	.	28
5	161 to 169, 217 to 223 .	Offences by public servants ...	7	12	...	12
6	193 to 200, 205 to 211, 421 to 424 ...	False evidence, false complaints and claims and fraudulent deeds, and disposition of property ...	12	26	..	26
7	465 to 477 ..	Forgery or fraudulently using forged documents ...	6	6		6
8	264 to 267 .	Offences relating to weights and measures ...	16	12	...	12
9	482 to 489 ...	Making or using false trade marks		..	..	...
10	149, 154 to 156, 160 .	Rioting, unlawful assembly, affray	9	3		3
		Total . .	70	87	..	87
		Class II —Serious offences against the person				
11	312 to 316 ...	Causing miscarriage	4	5	...	5
12	370 ..	Buying or disposing of slaves ..				..
		Total . ..	4	5		5
		Class III —Serious offences against the property				
13	384 to 389 . ..	Extortion	7	7	.	7
		Total ...	7	7		7
		Class IV.—Minor offences against the person				
14	345 ...	Wrongful confinement	62	25	..	25
15	352, 355, 358 ...	Criminal force . .	296	472	.	472
16	334	Hurt on grave or sudden provocation	12	15		15
17	323 . . .	Voluntarily causing hurt .	438	61	..	61
		Total . .	808	573	...	573
		Class V.—Minor offences against property.				
18	417 to 420 ...	Cheating	23	16	.	16
19	403, 404	Criminal misappropriation of property .	27	10	...	10
20	409 ..	Criminal breach of trust by public servants, bankers, &c	27	11	..	11
21	426, 427, 434	... Mischief (simple)	91	109	.	109
		Total	168	146	.	146
		Class VI —Other offences not specified above.				
22	298 ...	.. Offences against religion	5	4	..	4
23	490 to 492 ...	Criminal breach of contract of services ..	.		..	. .
24	493 to 498 .	... Offences relating to marriage .. .	15	15	...	15
25	500 to 502 .	Defamation	9	10	. .	10
26	504, 506 to 510	.. Intimidation and insult	196	289		289
27	271 to 276, 278, 284, 287, 288, 290	Public and local nuisances	13	11		11
28	291A ...	Keeping a lottery office		...	..	...
29	Offences under Chapter VIII (a) C P C	Security for keeping the peace on conviction ...	4	...	..	...
30	Offences under Chapter X, C P. C. .	. Public nuisances	12	13		13
31	Cases under Chapter XII, C. P C.	Disputes as to immovable property . . .	1	...	..	. .
32	Cases under Chapter XXXVI, C. P. C.	. . Maintenance of wives and children ...	9	12	...	12
		Total.... .	264	354	...	354
		Special Laws, offences under which are not cognizable by the Police. [Detail]				
		Coorg Forest Rules	16	3	...	3
		Indian Stamp Act	4	.	...	...
		Breach of Contract Act	838	1,529	...	1,529
		Cattle Trespass Act I of 1871	16	28	...	28
		Vaccination Act	5	3	...	3
		Total.....	879	1,563	...	1,563
		Grand Total.....	2,200	2,735	..	2,735

POLICE I.—(*Concluded.*)

COGNIZABLE CRIME FOR THE YEAR 1886.

		Persons.								
Number of cases in column 7 in which the police were employed to make enquiry.	Number of cases in which process issued.	Number of persons against whom process issued.	Actually appeared before the Courts, including pending from last year.	Discharged after appearance.	Acquitted. By Magistrate.	Acquitted. By High or Sessions Court.	Convicted. By Magistrate.	Convicted. By High or Sessions Court.	Waiting trial at close of year.	Remarks.
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
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9	9	16	17	1	13	...	3	...	...	
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39	39	68	72	4	49	...	19	..	...	

II. D. POLICE.

2. *Thuggee and dacoity, administration of poisonous or stupifying drugs for criminal purposes, and other professional crimes in the Province of Coorg for the year* 1886.

Description of Crime.	Cases.				Persons							Comparative Return.																
	Committed during previous two years, and in which no conviction was obtained up to beginning of the year.	Occurred within the year.	Cases under columns 2 and 3 brought to trial within the year.	Cases under columns 2 and 3 in which no one was brought to trial up to close of year.	Number supposed to be concerned in cases in columns 2 and 3.	Arrested.	Brought to trial.	Convicted.	Acquitted.	Remaining under trial.	Number supposed to be at large at the close of the year.	Number of persons arrested			Brought to trial.			Convicted.			Property stolen.			Property recovered.			Rem-
												1884	1885	1886	1884	1885	1886	1884	1885	1886	1884	1885	1886	1884	1885	1886	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13			14			15			16			17			18
Thuggee { by strangulation																											
Thuggee { by poison																					Rs.			Rs.			
Dacoity on Land	...	...	.	...	..	..	..	.	..		.	12	...	...	12	...	..	9	...	...	777	...	...	304	...	...	
Dacoity on Water ..																											
Robbery by administration of poisonous or deleterious drugs—																											
(a) With murder ..																											
(b) Without murder ..																											
Other professional crimes, viz.,																											
Kidnapping																											
Cattle-theft																											
Total....	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	.	12	...	...	12	...	...	9	...	...	777	...	...	304	...	...	

II. D. POLICE.

3. *Statement of Additional Police collected for the protection of persons and property quartered as a punitive measure in Coorg, for the year 1886.*

District.	Part I.—Additional Police collected for the protection of persons and property.																Part II.—Additional Police quartered as a punitive measure.						
	Name of fairs or places of large assembly where additional Police have been collected during the year.	Duration of fair or assembly.	Estimated number of persons assembled.	Strength of Police usually located at the place.		Detached from the Regular Force.		Specially employed in addition to columns 5 to 8.		Total Cost under columns 9 and 10		Number of offences against person or property during such assembly.		Property.		Number of cases.	Strength of Additional Police.		Total cost of additional Police including all contingencies.	Period for which quartered.	Number of offences committed in or traced to a village or place in which the additional Police was established.	Remarks.
				Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	To Government.	To local or private funds.	Investigated by the Police.	In which conviction followed.	Stolen.	Recovered.		Officers.	Men.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Mahadeopet	Moharum	2	3,000	4	22						..							...	..	..	...	..
Virajpet	Do	2	2,000	3	19				8	..						..	...		...	..	...	..
Pulin Road Taluk	Cauvery Putrey	3	11,500			1	11		30		...		..						..	..		...
Kigatnad Taluk	Irupu	2	4,250	1	2		6	..					..				...			...	...	...
Total		9	20,750	8	43	1	17	...	38							...	...	..		..	...	

II. D. POLICE.

4. *Statement showing Strength, Cost, Distribution and Employment of Police in the Province of Coorg for the year* 1886.

District	Sanctioned Strength of Police Force.										Cost of Police.													
	Inspector General, Deputy and Assistant Inspectors General.	Strength of District, Cantonment, Town or Municipal and Water Police, paid for wholly or in part from Imperial or Provincial Revenues.							Strength of Cantonment, Town or Municipal and Water Police paid wholly from other than Imperial or Provincial Revenues.		Pay and travelling allowances of controlling officers (Col 2), and pay and travelling allowances of their establishments.	Total Pay of District and Assistant District Superintendents. (Col. 3).	Other Expenses of Col. 3.		Total Pay of Subordinate Officers (Cols. 4 and 5.)	Total Pay of Constables of all classes (6, 7, and 8.)	Horse and travelling allowances, permanent or otherwise, not included in Cols. 12, 14, and 15.	Average pay of		Contingences and all expenses other than those included in Cols. 12 to 18.	Total Cost.	Payable from Imperial or Provincial Revenues.	Payable from other sources.
		Number of District and Assistant District Superintendents.	Number of Subordinate Officers on Rs. 100 and upwards.	Number of Subordinate Officers on less than Rs. 100.	Number of Mounted Police Constables.	Number of Foot Police Constables.	Number of Water Police Constables.	Total.	Officers.	Men.			Travelling allowances of District and Assistant District Superintendents.	Pay and travelling allowances of their establishments.				Mounted Constables.	Foot and Water Constables.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Coorg ...	..		1	26	..	161		188	.	.			..	..	5,844 2 2	16,205 6 4	42 8 0	...	...	3,587 15 11	25,680 0 5	...	.
Total ..	..		1	26		161	..	188	.	.	.				5,844 2 2	16,205 6 4	42 8 0	.	...	3,587 15 11	25,680 0 5	...	...

District.	Distribution of Force.										Area of whole District in square miles.	Population of whole District	Proportion of the whole Force (Officers and Men)						Proportion of the Police on Station duties (Officers and Men.)						Total amount of cognizable crime reported (Cols. 4 and 6 of Statement A, Part 1.)	Proportion of cognizable crime to the Police Force on station duties, (Cols. 27 and 28.)
	In District.												To area.			To population.			To area.			To population.				
	Guards at District, Central or Subsidiary Jails.		On Station duty.		Guards over Lock-ups and Treasuries, or escort to prisoners and treasure or in reserve.		Total.		On Town Municipal or Harbour duty	In Cantonments.			Of the whole District.	Of Districts exclusive of Towns.	Of Towns.	Of the whole District	Of Districts exclusive of Towns.	Of Towns.	Of the whole District.	Of Districts exclusive of Towns.	Of Towns.	Of the whole District.	Of Districts exclusive of Towns.	Of Towns.		
	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.																		
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Coorg ...	2	20	15	77	...	6	17	103	68	..	1,583	1,78,302	1 to 84	.	...	1 to 948	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Total.....	2	20	15	77	...	6	17	103	68	..	1,583	1,78,302	1 to 84	...	..	1 to 948	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...

II. D. POLICE.

5. *Statement showing Equipment, Discipline and General Internal Management of the Force in the Province of Coorg for the year* 1886.

District.	Total sanctioned strength.		Armament of the Force.			Punishments.												Reward		Education.				Number enlisted during the year.	Of one year's service and under ten years.	Of ten years' service and upwards	Number who have left the Force during the year.							Percentage of men in Hospital during the year to total strength of Force.	Percentage of deaths during the year to total strength of Force.	Number of men on sick report during the year.
						Dismissed.		Fined, degraded or suspended by their own Departmental Officers.		Punished judicially by a Magistrate. Under Police Act.		Under Sections 330, 331, 348, Penal Code.		Under Chapter IX of Penal Code		Other offences		Number of Police rewarded during the year.		Number of Police who can read and write.		Number of Police under instruction during the year.					On pension.	On gratuity.	By resignation without pension or gratuity.	By dismissal (columns 7 and 8)	By discharge otherwise than under preceding columns.	By desertion.	By death.			
	Officers.	Men.	Number provided with fire-arms.	Number provided with swords only, or swords and batons.	Number provided with batons only.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	By promotion.	By money reward.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.														
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
North Coorg	14	88	22	26	24	2	10	7	58	.	2	.			.	..	3	3	1	14	18		16	21	100	2	.	...	3	12	.	...	1	29·41	..	...
South Coorg	11	47	4	12	20	1	5	7	30	..	1				.		1	2	.	11	12	...	7	9	57	1	...	...	...	6	.	.	2	34·48	...	...
Jail and Treasury Guard	2	26	4	4	.	.	2	1	17	.	1	...			..			1	.	2	.		.	3	28	..	..	...	1	2	...	...		28·57	...	...
Grand Total	27	161	30	42	44	3	17	15	105	...	4	.		.	..	.	4	6	1	27	30		23	33	185	3	...	...	4	20	...	...	3	30·85	1·03	.

Detail of Fines, &c.

Fined less than Re	1	80	58	5	0
„ Re. 1 and less than Rs.	2	19	33	13	7
„ Rs. 2 „ „	5	14	48	7	11
„ more than „ „	5	3	25	2	7
Degraded ...	...	1		.	
Suspended ...	...	3		.	
Total.....		120	165	13	1

II. D. POLICE.

6. *Statement showing the race and religion or caste of Officers and Men employed in the Police in the Province of Coorg for the year* 1886.

District.	Race.													Religion or Caste.																							
														Officers.												Men.											
	Europeans.				Eurasians.				Natives.					Hindus									Other Religions.					Hindus.							Other Religions		
	District or Assistant District Superintendents		Subordinate Officers.				Subordinate Officers.				Senior Ranks Officers																										
	Military or Covenanted Civil.	Uncovenanted	On Rupees 100 and upwards.	Below Rupees 100	Constables.	District or Assistant District Superintendents	On Rs 100 and upwards.	Below Rs. 100	Constables.	District or Assistant District Superintendents.	On Rs 100 and upwards	Below Rs. 100	Constables.	Christians.	Mahammadans.	Brahmans.	Rajputs.	Goorkhas.	Parsees.	Coorgs.	Heggades.	Gaudas.	Hindus of all other castes.			Christians.	Mahammadans.	Brahmans.	Rajputs.	Bantas.	Coorgs	Gaudas.	Heggades.	Kurbas.	Hindus of all other castes.			Grand Total, Officers and Men.
1	2	3	4		5	6	7		8	9	10		11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
North Coorg	...	...	..	...	..	..	..		..		1	13	88	1	4	2			1	4	1	..	1	...	.	6	28	2	8	4	5	7	..	..	28	..		102
South Coorg	.	.	.	.	...		..			..	.	11	47	.	...	.	..		.	9	.	1	1		...	1	11	1	1	...	.	.		..	33	..	..	58
Jail and Treasury Guard	...	...	.	.	...	..	...	...	.			2	26	...	...	..	..	.		1	.	1	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	2	15	5	1	1	2	...	..	28
Grand Total	...	.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	1	26	161	1	4	2	..		1	14	1	2	2	.	...	7	39	3	9	6	20	12	1	1	63	..		188

II. E. MILITARY.

1. *Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and other Particulars of the Army attached to the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886—87.

Arm of Service.	Total Number of fighting Officers and Men.								Detail of Force at the end of year.						Paid Camp Followers and Non-Combatants.	Average Annual Pay and Allowances of each—					Total Cost including contingencies.
	Remaining at the end of 188 .	Recruited up to 188 .	Died.			Invalided	Discharged, deserted &c.	Remaining at the end of 188	Number of Regiments, Battalions, or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	Number of Men.					European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.	Camp followers.	
			In action.	Otherwise.	Total.						European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.							
									Nil.												

II. E. MILITARY.

2. *Statement showing the Distribution and Employment of the Army attached to the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886—87.

Arm of Service.	Employment on last day of the year.							Employment during the year.						
	Number of Regiments, Batteries, and on active Service.	Number of Permanent Cantonments occupied.	Number of out-post occupied.	Average number of men at head-quarters of each Regiment, Battery, &c. not on active service.		Average number of men of each Regiment &c. detailed for out duty.		Average number of days spent by each man on active service.	Average number of days spent by each man not on active service.			Number of Divisional or Station Parades during the period from.	Number of Regimental Parade during the period from.	Average number of days devoted to musketry, instruction &c.
				On duty.	Off duty.	On duty.	Off duty.		On duty.	With Corps, or Company not on duty.	On Furlough.			
						Nil.								

3. *Statement showing Religion, Races and Classes of the Native Officers and Men of the Army attached to the Province of Coorg on the last day of the official year* 1886—87.

Classification according to religion, race, &c.	Average Age.	Average Height.	Average Weight.	General Physiognomy and characteristics of each race and caste.
	Nil.			

II. F. MARINE.

1. *Statement showing the Strength and other Particulars of the Marine Force for the year* 1886—87.

Arm of Service	Total number of fighting Officers and Men.							Detail of Force at the end of the year							Average annual pay and allowance of each.					
	Remaining at the end of last year.	Recruited this year	Died.			Invalided.	Discharged, deserted &c	Remaining at the end of last year	Number of Ships.	Number of Guns.	European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.	Paid non combatants.	European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.	Paid non-combatants.	Total cost including contingencies.
			In action.	Otherwise.	Total.																
									Nil.												

2. *Statement showing the Religion, Races and Classes of Native Officers and Men of the Marine Force for* 1886—87.

Classification according to Religion, Race &c.	Average Age.	Average Height.	Average Weight.	General Physiognomy and character of each caste and race.
		Nil.		

III STATISTICS OF PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

A. Finance.

1. *Account of the Gross and Net Revenue of Coorg for the year* 1886—87.

Sources of Revenue.	Gross Receipts	Refunds and Drawbacks.	Charged against Income. Charges of collection including cost of Salt, Opium, and maintaining re-productive works.	Allowance and assignments under Treaty and Engagements.	Allowance of District and Village Officers and Inamdars and Charitable grants.	Total.	Net Receipts.	Deficit.
	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
Land Revenue ..	3,23,098 4 8	1,730 9 6	87,111 11 8	6,730 13 6	13,761 15 2	1,09,335 1 10	2,13,763 2 10	... ...
Forest	97,794 9 6	... ..	73,686 2 9	... ...	. ... ..	73,686 2 9	24,108 6 9	... ...
Excise on spirits and drugs .	1,41,021 6 6	154 0 0	2,506 10 10	. .. .	... ...	2,660 10 10	1,38,360 11 8	... ...
Total ..	5,61,914 4 8	1,884 9 6	1,63,304 9 3	6,730 13 6	13,761 15 2	1,85,681 15 5	3,76,232 5 3	... ...
Assessed Taxes—Income Tax.	10,726 12 10	77 12 8	625 0 0	. . ..	. .	702 12 8	10,024 0 2	... ...
Total	10,726 12 10	77 12 8	625 0 0	... .	. .	702 12 8	10,024 0 2	... ...
Stamps { General .	22,399 7 2	135 14 0	539 6 1	. .	. ..	675 4 1	21,724 3 1	... ...
Stamps { Court Fee stamps.	58,051 7 0	200 3 0	1,422 3 9	. . .	... ...	1,622 6 9	56,429 0 3	... ...
Law and Justice. { Refunds	..							
Law and Justice. { Real Fines	4,556 0 0	560 0 0	. ..	... . .	. .	.. . ..	. .	... ...
Law and Justice. { Miscellaneous ..	1,236 13 1	237 10 7	.. .	.. .. ..	. . ..	560 0 0	3,996 0 0	... ...
						237 10 7	999 2 6	... ...
Interest	1,414 4 2	. . . .	.. . .	.. . .	. .. .	... . .	1,414 4 2	. . ..
Miscellaneous ..	1,634 2 8	. .	. . .. ..	...	.	. .	1,634 2 8	.. ..
Local rates and taxes ..	... .	. ..	..				.. ..	... ...
Jails .. .	4,320 5 10	. .		.. .	.. .	..	4,320 5 10	... ...
Registration	4,394 8 0	2 0 0	1,299 15 7	. .. .	... .. .	1,301 15 7	3,092 8 5	... .
Police .			. .	.. ...	... .	... .	. ...	... ...
Education ...	4,620 11 4	. ... .	...	. .	..	... . .	4,620 11 4	... ...
Medical ...	.. . ..	.	.. ..	. .	... .	... . .	.. ..	... ...
Printing .	... .	. .		.	. ..	. . .	... .	.. ..
Cemetery Funds .	15 0 0	... . .	. .	.	.	.. . .	15 0 0	... ...
Public Works ..		... .. .	. ..	. .	.. ...	.. . .	.. ... .	.. ..
Anche Collections .	..	..			. .	.. ..	.. ...	... ...
Postage and Service Lables .	24,310 9 9	.	53,787 6 8		.. . .	53,787 6 8		29,476 12 11
Public Works. { Refunds .	6,937 10 0	.. ...	..	.	. . ..	... . ..	6,937 10 0	... .
Public Works. { Sales ..	229 13 6	. .. .	.	. .	... .	.. .	229 13 6	.. ..
Public Works. { Real .	1,824 11 6	.	50 0 0	. . .	.	50 0 0	1,774 11 6	. ... . .
Military Fund ...	776 15 10	... .	.. ...	.. ..	..	.. . .	776 15 10	... ...
Electric Telegraph ..	590 0 0	..	7,939 4 6	... .	. ... ..	7,939 4 6	.. ...	7,349 4 6
Total... .	7,09,953 9 4	3,098 1 9	2,28,967 13 10	6,730 13 6	13,761 15 2	2,52,558 12 3	4,94,220 14 6	36,826 1 5
Excluded Local Funds, Municipal Funds	26,265 5 7	329 9 6	451 0 0	... .	.	780 9 3	25,424 12 4	... ...
School Plantation receipts .	3,303 2 10	... ...	.. ..	. ...	. ..	.. ..	3,303 2 10	... ...
Total	29,508 8 5	329 9 3	451 0 0	...	..	780 9 3	28,727 15 2	... ...
Local Fund...	34,793 1 8	20 10 0	87 0 0	. ... .	...	107 10 0	34,685 7 8	... ...
Total .	64,301 10 1	350 3 3	538 0 0	. ...		886 3 3	63,413 6 10	... ...
Gross Receipts... ...	7,74,255 3 5	3,448 5 0	2,29,505 13 10	6,730 13 6	13,761 15 2	2,53,446 15 6	5,57,634 5 4	36,826 1 5

N. B.—Rs. 1,606 5 0 granted annually for the worship of deities
Rs. 7,426 14 0 granted to headmen of villages for collecting revenue. } not being shown in receipts are not shown here.

III. A. FINANCE.

2. *Accounts of Expenditure from Net Income of the Province of Coorg for the year* 1886—87.

	Amount last year, 1885—86.			Amount present year, 1886—87.		
Civil and Political Establishments and Contingencies	34,940	0	5	33,043	1	4
Judicial charges — Courts	35,561	0	5	35,722	8	5
Judicial charges — Prisons	19,859	12	9	15,167	5	0
Police charges	24,772	8	9	25,201	0	4
Military	12,293	13	1	18,201	13	6
Deficit — Post Office	..	...	...	29,476	12	11
Deficit — Electric Telegraph	6,732	9	5	7,349	4	6
Ecclesiastical	1,767	8	1	4,153	8	0
Superannuation and retired allowances	9,370	12	3	6,911	10	0
Public Works ... Civil New Repairs	1,50,982	5	9	1,14,206	15	7
Education	37,277	12	5	36,141	13	1
Miscellaneous	3,033	15	5	1,457	5	0
Total Imperial	3,36,592	2	9	3,27,043	1	8
Local.						
District Roads / Other Expenditure	34,863	5	8	25,640	5	1
Police.						
Other Municipal Expenditure	21,565	11	4	17,599	2	1
Total Local .	56,449	1	0	43,239	7	2
Grand Total	3,93,041	3	9	3,70,282	8	10
Surplus	1,20,553	12	5	1,50,525	11	1

3. *Account of Cash Receipts and Disbursements of the Treasuries of the Province of Coorg for the year* 1886—87.

Receipts	Amount			Disbursements.	Amount.		
Cash Balance of last year .. .	3,92,496	12	0	Expenditure as per Statements No. 1 and 2	5,86,903	6	11
Net Revenue as per Statement No 1 deducting Rs. 3,962—1—1 being sale proceeds of waste lands separately shown	5,53,672	4	3	Loans, Railways and Interest	12,005	8	4
Receipts on account of Loans and Railways	.			Advances	1,443	8	0
Do Service Funds ...	.	.	.				
Re-payment of advances . .	3,180	13	7	Re-payment of deposits .	27,631	2	9
Deposits	41,949	8	9				
Prize money	..	...		Bills of Treasuries paid	1,10,477	2	1
Sale of waste lands	3,962	1	1				
Bills drawn on other Treasuries. . . .	2,34,525	15	1	Remittances to State Treasuries .	4,70,000	0	0
Family Remittances	.		.				
Remittances	31,300	3	6				
Add amount deducted as per Statement No. 1	2,16,620	14	1				
Total .	14,77,708	8	4				
Disbursements	12,08,460	12	1	Total... ..	12,08,460	12	1
Cash Balance at the end of the year	2,69,247	12	3				

4. *Statement showing Particulars of the Public Works Expenditure in Coorg shown in Finance Statement No. 2, for the year* 1886—87.

Month			Particulars.	Amount.			Total		
April	1886	.. ..	By Cheque	17,954	15	5			
May	do	... .	Do	7,941	2	8			
June	do	... .	Do	9,549	1	6			
July	do	. .	Do . .	8,376	13	0			
August	do	.. ...	Do	10,034	12	11			
September	do	... .	Do ...	8,278	5	8			
October	do	... ...	Do	8,140	10	11			
November	do	. . . . .	Do	8,699	2	9			
December	do	... .	Do	11,532	2	6			
January	1887	.. .	Do	10,052	13	1			
February	do	. . . .	Do	15,398	7	6			
March	do	. .. ...	Do	17,277	6	8			
							1,33,235	14	7
			Deduct Cost of Irrigation Works.				50	0	0
			Cost of District Fund Works carried out by D. P. W but shown under Local Funds				18,978	15	0
			Net shown in Finance Statement No. 2 as Public Works Expenditure				1,14,206	15	7

III. A. FINANCE.

5. *Statement showing the Gross and Net Revenue of General and Court Fee Stamps for the year* 1886—87.

Description.	Gross Revenue.			Expenditure. Charges for stamping &c. at Madras.	Establishment and contingencies of Superintendent of Stamps.	Salaried Court Fee Vendors at Head Quarters.	Discount to Vendors.			Total.			Net Revenue.		
OTHER GENERAL STAMPS.															
General Stamps ...	18,646	6	0	...	...	...	450	6	4	450	6	4	18,195	15	8
One Anna Stamps for receipts and cheques ...	1,322	4	0		...	...	74	7	0	74	7	0	1,247	13	0
Bill of Exchange or Hundi ...	484	8	0	...	..	..	14	8	9	14	8	9	469	15	3
Court Fee Stamps ...	58,051	7	0	...	...	...	1,422	3	9	1,422	3	9	56,629	3	3
Duty on unstamped paper ...	67	12	0	..	...	..	...	..	...	...	.	...	67	12	0
Do insufficiently stamped paper ...	826	9	0	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	.	..	826	9	0
Fines and Penalties ...	1,040	0	0	...	...	...	...	.	..	...	.	..	1,040	0	0
Miscellaneous ...	12	0	2	...	...	.	...	..	...	...		.	12	0	2
Total...	80,450	14	2	...	.	.	1,961	9	10	1,961	9	10	78,489	4	4

III. B. PUBLIC WORKS.

1. *Statement showing the Expenditure of Money in the Public Works Department in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1886—87.

Class of Works.	Total Expenditure including Establishment. Capital spent on works yielding income.	Maintenance of works yielding income.	Capital spent on works not yielding income.	Maintenance of works not yielding income.	Total.	Cost of Establishment.	Tools and Plant.
IMPERIAL FUNDS							
Original Works.							
Civil Buildings ...	..	...	10,284	...	10,284	...	..
Communications ...	..	...	18,791	..	18,791	...	..
Total Original Works ..	.		29,075		29,075		...
Repairs							
Military	...	..	...	251	251	...	...
Civil Buildings ...	...	...	...	2,559	2,559	.	...
Communications ...	.	...	...	36,799	36,799		...
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...
Total Repairs ..	..	.	...	39,609	39,609	..	...
Establishment { Imperial Civil Works ...	..	..	...	.	..	34,733	...
Establishment { Military ...	...	...	..	...	...	58	...
Tools and Plant { Imperial Civil Works ..	...	..	...	...	...	..	5,951
Tools and Plant { Military ...		...	...	...	...	.	1
DISTRICT FUNDS.							
Original Works							
Communications ..	..	...	7,796	..	7,796	...	.
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ..	...	...	946	..	946	.	
Total Original Works	..	...	8,742	...	8,742	.	..
Repairs.							
Communications	.	...	.	4,661	4,661	...	..
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	.	.	.	280	280	...	..
Total Repairs	..	..	...	4,941	4,941	...	...
Establishment ...	.	..	.	.	.	3,420	.
Tools and Plant ...	...	...	..	...	...	.	205

III. C. RAILWAY 1886—87.

Name of Work.	Miles opened during the year.	Total miles opened.	Passengers during the year. 1st Class	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Coolie Class	Total.	Approximate receipts from passengers.	Approximate receipts from merchandise.	Miscellaneous receipts.	Total approximate receipts.	Working expenses approximate	Net profit approximate.	Number of European Staff.	Number of Native Staff.	Total capital expenditure.
						Nil.										

III. D. MARINE.

1. *Statement showing the Government Ships and Vessels employed during the year* 1886—87.

Detail of Vessels.	Tonnage of each Vessel and Horse power of each Engine if a Steamer.	Number of Officers.	Number of men.	Total annual cost.	Total annual amount earning of the Vessel.	Remarks (showing the nature of the duties in which each Vessel was employed.)
			Nil.			

2. *Statement showing the number of Officers and Men employed otherwise than in Government Vessels,* 1886—87.

Description of Establishment.	Number of Officers.	Number of Men.	Total annual cost.	Total annual earnings.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Nil.			

III. E. AGRICULTURE.

1. *Irrigation, Coorg,* 1886—87.

District.	Total area of crops in column 17 Form B, irrigated and unirrigated.	Area irrigated.						Details.				Remarks
		By Canal.		By Tanks.	By Wells.	By other sources.	Total area of crops irrigated.	Rice.	Other cereals and pulses.	Miscellaneous food crops.	Miscellaneous non-food crops.	
		Government.	Private.									
Coorg.	1,40,069	500	..	...	...		500	500	.	.	..	

2. *Crops cultivated,* 1886—87.

District.	Cereals and Pulses.			Oil-seeds.	Fibres				Coffee.	Tea.	Tobacco	Cinchona.	Miscellaneous.		Total area of crops.	Deduct area cropped more than once.	Actual area on which crops were grown
	Rice.	Wheat.	Other food-grains including Pulses.		Sugar cane.	Cotton	Jute	Other sorts.					Food-crops.	Non-food crops.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Coorg.	74,071 Double crop 404 Single 73,667 74,071	...	143 1,426 1,569	...	..	.	.	..	..	62,343	.	.	1,707	...	379 Cardamom. 300 Garden 79	1,40,069	547	1,39,522

3. *Stock for the year* 1886—87.

Cows and Bullocks.	Buffaloes.	Horses and Ponies.	Mules and Donkeys.	Sheep and Goats.	Carts.	Ploughs.	Boats.	Pigs.	Remarks.
70,748	29,968	569	313	6,012	553	40,300	26	9,870	

III. E. AGRICULTURE.

4. *Rates of Rent and Produce for the year* 1886—87.

District.	Average rent per acre, for land suited for—											Average produce of land per acre in lbs.										
	Rice.	Wheat.	Inferior grains.	Indigo	Coffee.	Cotton.	Opium.	Oil seed.	Fibres.	Sugar.	Tobacco.	Rice.	Wheat.	Inferior grains.	Indigo.	Cotton.	Opium.	Oil seed.	Fibres.	Sugar.	Tobacco.	Tea.	Coffee.
Coorg.																							
Maximum ...	3-5-4	...	1-14-0	..	2-0-0	...	...	...		...	...	820	..	820	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	183
Minimum ...	1-10-8	...	0-9-6	.	1-0-0	...	...		..	..	...												

III. F. PRICES OF PRODUCE AND LABOR.

1. *Produce for the year* 1886—87.

	Prices of produce per maund of 80lbs.																		
	Rice.	Wheat.	Linseed	Cotton	Sugar.	Ghee.	Salt	Firewood.	Coffee.	Cardamom.	Ragi	Plough bullock, each	Sheep, each	Fish per lb.	Iron per maund of 80 lbs.
Coorg	A 2 13 8	B 4 0 0	3 4 0	B 23 4 4	B 4 0 0	B 30 0 0	B 2 15 5	0 5 10	32 0 0	116 0 0	0 15 7	15 0 0	B 2 8 0	B 0 2 0	B 9 0 0

A The articles are locally produced
B The articles are imported into Coorg, vide Circular No 35—14-14 Stats, dated 6th July 1887, of the Government of India in the Revenue and Agricultural Department.

2. *Labor for the year* 1886—87.

District.	Wages per diem.		Cart per day.	Camel per day	Donkeys per day	Boat per day.
	Skilled.	Unskilled				
Coorg	0 12 0	0 4 0	1 8 0	..	...	...

III. G. MINES AND QUARRIES, 1886—87.

District	Mineral produce	Number of mines and quarries	Annual produce	Remarks.
I Sub-Division .. .	Stone ..	1 Rangasamudra	600 Cubic feet slabs 50 c ft sized stone.	
		2 Ali Topu	150 c. ft slabs 370 c. ft. sized stone. 5,000 c ft. metal.	
		3 Gattada halli	3,700 c. ft. metal.	
II. Sub-Division ...	,, ..	122 Quarries . ..	21,834 c ft. slabs and sized stone. 5,670 c ft rough stone 53,726 c. ft metal. 11,719 c ft laterite. 25,654 gravel	
III. Sub-Division ...	,, ...	3 Quarries	150 c. ft slabs. 58 c. yds. sized stone.	

III. H. MANUFACTURES, 1886—87.

	Class of Manufactures.												
	Silk.	Cotton Wool.	Other Fibres.	Pot and Tile makers	Wool.	Iron.	Brass and Copper.	Building.	Tailors.	Goldsmiths.	Checkers.	Soda water.
Number of mills and large manufactures ...	...	...	...	1	1	1	..	...	...	...	...	1
Private looms and small works	...	130	...	5	80	90	80	20	83	87	90	50	...
Number of men on large workshops { Males ...	..		...	...	50	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
Number of men on large workshops { Females. ..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of workmen on small works or independent artizans	..	130	...	5	235	100	155	22	167	87	169	85	...
Number of European Superintendents in large works.	..	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Value of Block in Rs...	.		...	...	40,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Estimated annual return of all works . Rs .	..	1,170	...	450	24,700	19,300	28,300	5,280	22,540	15,660	30,420	9,180	1,000

III. I. TRADE.

1. *Imports*, 1886—87.

Major Head.		Quantity.	Value			Place from which imported.
Agricultural implements ...	..	...	8,000	0	0	Mangalore, Tellicherry and Madras.
Animals living ...	No....	11,710	50,000	0	0	Mysore.
Apparel including haberdashery and millinery ...	..	...	3,000	0	0	Madras and Bombay.
Arms and Ammunition . . .		..	3,000	0	0	Do
Books and printed matter including maps and charts	..	...	4,000	0	0	Mangalore, Bangalore and Madras.
Building and engineering materials	...	...	15,000	0	0	Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Candles	..	...	1,700	0	0	Madras.
Coir manufactured	...	. .	6,500	0	0	Tellicherry and Mangalore.
Cotton	...	..	2,000	0	0	Mysore and Madras.
Manufactured piece goods . ..	..	..	1,00,000	0	0	Bombay, Madras, Madura, Salem and Mysore.
Drugs and other medicines	Cwts...	1,000	25,000	0	0	Mysore and Mangalore.
Earthenware ...	.		1,200	0	0	Mysore.
Flax manufactures including ropes	. .	...	8,000	0	0	Madras and Calcutta.
Fruits and vegetables	. .	...	15,000	0	0	Mysore, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Glass and glassware	.		4,500	0	0	Mysore and Mangalore
Grain	Cwts..	35,500	1,00,290	0	0	Do do
Gums and resins . ..	.	...	1,000	0	0	Mysore.
Hardware and cutlery			2,500	0	0	Mangalore, Tellicherry and Madras
Leather manufactures	.	.	2,000	0	0	Madras, Mysore, Mangalore and Trichinopoly.
Liquors	.	..	49,000	0	0	Madras.
Machines and small works		...	1,000	0	0	Do
Metals	..	.	25,000	0	0	Madras, Mysore and Mangalore.
Oils	Cwts..	4,800	57,700	0	0	Mysore, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Paper and pasteboards	...		11,000	0	0	Mysore, Madras, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Provisions	Cwts ..	22,720	1,88,400	0	0	Bombay, Madras, Mysore and Tellicherry.
Salt	Cwts ..	19,790	1,25,000	0	0	Mangalore and Tellicherry
Spices	Cwts	4,780	37,100	0	0	Mysore, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Sugar and saccharine produce	...	7,670	48,700	0	0	Mysore and Tellicherry.
Silk	...	.	2,000	0	0	Madras and Mysore.
Tobacco	...	900	18,000	0	0	Bombay, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Umbrellas	.		4,500	0	0	Madras and Mangalore.
Wood and timber manufactures	...	. .	8,000	0	0	Mysore, Madras and Mangalore.
Wood and woollen manufactures including cumblies	...		7,500	0	0	Tellicherry and Mysore.
Sundries	...	.	50,000	0	0	Mysore, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Treasure	..	...	5,75,700	0	0	Madras, Bombay, Mysore and Tellicherry.
Government stores	..	...	6,000	0	0	Madras.
Total ..		...	15,65,290	0	0	

2. *Exports*, 1886—87.

Major Head.	Quantity	Value.			To which exported.
	Cwts.	Rs.	A.	P.	
Coffee	72,620	32,67,900	0	0	Mangalore, Tellicherry, Bangalore and Madras.
Drugs	...	1,600	0	0	Mangalore and Bangalore.
Fruits	.	17,000	0	0	Mangalore and Mysore.
Grain and Pulse	..	49,000	0	0	Tellicherry and other places in Malabar, Mysore.
Hides, horns	...	10,000	0	0	Mysore and Tellicherry.
Ganja	..	500	0	0	Mysore.
Cardamom and spices	940	1,41,600	0	0	Mysore, Tellicherry and Mangalore.
Tobacco	...	...	...	.	
Wax	.	900	0	0	Mysore.
Wood	. .	34,200	0	0	Mysore.
Treasure		4,70,000	0	0	Madras.
Total .. .	. .	39,92,700	0	0	

III. K. COINAGE AND CURRENCY.

1. *Coinage*, 1886—87.

	Bullion and Silver coins imported during the year in lbs.						Coined during the year.									Sovereigns imported during the year.	Estimated value of coins in circulation.					
	Gold.		Silver.		Copper.												Gold.		Silver.		Copper.	
	By State.	Private	By State	Private.	By State.	Private.	Gold Mohars.	Rupees.	Half Rupees.	Quarter Rupees.	One-eighth Rupees	Double Pies.	Single Pies.	Small Coins.	Total Value.		Government.	Native.	Government.	Native.	Government.	Native.
Coorg	..	lbs 375	...	14,290 lbs.	...	..	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	..	...	...	20,000	5,000	400,000	..	20,000	

2. *Paper Currency*, 1886—87.

Notes in circulation at the beginning of the year.							Total value of Notes issued during the year	In circulation at the end of the year						Reserve at the end of the year stated in Rupees.					
Small Notes under Rs. 50.		Notes Rs. 50 and under Rs. 500		Large Notes of Rs. 500 and upwards.		Total value of Notes cashed during the year.		Small Notes under Rs. 50.		Notes of Rs. 50 and under Rs. 500.		Large Notes of Rs. 500 and upwards.		Coin.			Bullion.		
														Gold	Silver	Copper.	Gold	Silver.	Copper.
No.	Rs.	No	Rs.	No	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	No.	Rs.	No.	Rs.	No.	Rs.						
10	100	943	82,100	55	32,500	3,88,195	1,98,995	22	145	547	51,650	18	11,500	...			.	..	...

III. L. CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Charitable Institutions of the Province of Coorg for the year 1886—87.

Class and order of Institutions.	Number of Institutions.	Average number of persons daily aided	Number aided in the year.	Income													In what shape relief is given.
				Paid by Government			From Endowment. In Land.		In money	Subscription.			In-door	Out-door.	General.		
Civil Dispensary, Mercara ..	1	101·46	15,154	* 3,137	10	4			140	1,387	3	11	296	14,858	1	Medicine and food.	
Do Virajendrapet	1	26·32	6,870	* 2,759	6	9			80	14	9	0	229	6,641	1	Do	
Inams to Chuttrums		.	...	.		..	..			...	...		..	..	.		
Government Institutions ...	...	.		..			..		.	.	.	.	...	..	..		
Poor Houses ...	..	.		..	..		...		...	.		..	..	...	..		
General ..	4	154	56,445	6,736	10	7			...		..	.	..	...	...	1. Mercara Oonkaresvara Pagodas. 380 0 0 2. Bhagamandla 3,956 10 7 3. Rajahs' Tombs 2,000 0 0 4. Irpu Pagoda 400 0 0 6,736 10 7	
For blind ..	..	...		.			...		...	...	..		..	..	..		
„ Deaf	.	.	...	.	.	.	.		.	.	.	.	..		..		
„ Lepers ..	..	.	...	.	.	..	.		..		.	..	...		...		
Supported by general public to relieve paupers ...		..	...	...	..	...	...		..	...	.		..	.			
For blind ...	...		...						...	...	.	.			..		
„ Deaf ..	...	...	...	..	.	...	...		.		.			.			
„ Hindus	...	...	...		...	.	..			...	..		.	...	..	Lodging and food.	
Brahmins ..	3	85	31,276	..	.	...	...		...	...		.		...		1. Ramana, Frazerpet. 2. Kolivanda Iyappa. Virarajendrapet 3 Nagiah, Mercara.	

* Paid by the Municipality.

IV. STATISTICS OF INSTRUCTION.

A. Ecclesiastical.

Return of Persons according to Religious Denominations in the Province of Coorg for the year 1886—87.

1	2		3	4	5			6
Denomination.	Number of Persons.		Number of Ministers or Priests.	Number of Churches or buildings designed or used for worship.	Total annual income from Government.			Remarks.
	Native.	Others.						
Church of England ...	6	120	1	2	3,913	8	0	1 Mercara. 1 in the Bamboo District.
Church of Scotland ...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	
Protestant Dissenters ...	..	5	.	...	...	...	...	
Roman Catholics ...	2,060	130	2	5	240	0	0	Mercara, Virajendrapet, Suntisoppa, Fraserpet and Amatti.
Greek Church	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	
Armenian...				...	...	..	..	
Syrian	..	..	...	..	...	..	.	
Basel Evangelical Mission Society	268	17	3	2	..	.		Mercara and Anandapur.
Parsi ...	21		...	..	..	..	.	
Hindu	1,62,489	..	725	1,336	24,343	15	1	In cash Rs 13,761 15 2 Payments by deduction from land revenue. Land Endowment. 990 5 0 9,591 10 11 24,343 15 1
Mahomedans ...	12,541	...	15	16	54	0	0	Land Rs. 38 0 0 Cash „ 16 0 0 Total. . 54 0 0
Jain	99		3	3	41	10	8	
Total	1,77,484	332	749	1,364	28,593	1	9	

IV. C. SCIENTIFIC AND LITERARY SOCIETIES.

1. *Annual Return in the Province of Coorg for the year* 1886—87.

Name.	Objects.	Income				Members or Visitors.					When established.
		From Government	Endowments	Subscriptions.	Total	Males	Females	Juvenile.	Total.	Registered or not.	
Mercara Book Club	To supply literature for the European community of Coorg	None.	None.	1,090	1,090	54	.	.	54	No	1874.
Mercara Literary Union.	Holds periodical meetings for discussing subjects of general interest.	Nil	Nil.	Rs 282	Rs 282	Rs. 19	Nil.	Nil.	19	Not.	June 1882

THE PRESS.

2. *Annual Return in the Province of Coorg for the year* 1886—87.

1	2	3	4	
District.	Name of Press.	Name of Proprietor.	Publications thereat.	
			News Papers.	Periodicals.
Coorg	Mercara Jail Press..	Government.	Nil.	The Coorg District Gazette published on the 1st of each month.

IV. B. EDUCATION.

1. Abstract Return of Colleges, Schools and Scholars in Coorg at the end of the official year 1886—87.—(For details see General Table III.)

Area and Population.					Public Institutions.							Private Institutions.				
					University Education.		School Education, General.		School Education, Special.							
Total Area in square miles.	Number of Towns and Villages.	Population.			Arts Colleges.	Professional Colleges.	Secondary Schools.	Primary Schools.	Training Schools.	All other Special Schools	Total of Public Institutions	Advanced.	Elementary.	Grand Total.	Percentage of—	Remarks.
1	2	3		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
				Institutions. For Males	.	...	3	68	1	.	72	...	19	91	Institutions to No. of Towns and Villages. 17·6	
				Institutions. For Females	...	...	.	3	...	..	3	..	...	3	·6	
1582·81	Towns 5	Males	1,00,439	Total		...	3	71	1	...	75	...	19	94	18·2	
	Villages 512	Females	77,863													
	Total 517		1,78,302													
				Scholars. Males	..	...	434	2,624	13	..	3,071	...	275	3,346	Male scholars to male population of school-going age. 22·2	
				Scholars. Females	..	...	7	479	.	...	486	..	38	524	Female scholars to female population of school going age. 4·5	
				Total ..		...	441	3,103	13	...	3,557	...	313	3,870		

A town contains 5,000 inhabitants or upwards. A village contains less than 5,000 inhabitants. A Municipality, whatever its population, should be entered as a town. The population of school-going age is taken at 15 per cent of the whole population.

IV. B. EDUCATION.

2. Abstract Return of Expenditure on Public Instruction in Coorg for the official year 1886—87.—(For details see General Table IV).

	Total Direct Expenditure on Public Instruction.							Total Indirect Expenditure on Public Instruction.								Total Expenditure on Public Instruction.	Remarks.
	University Education.		School Education, General.		School Education, Special.												
	Arts Colleges.	Professional Colleges.	Secondary Schools.	Primary Schools.	Training Schools.	All other Special Schools.	Total.	University.	Direction.	Inspection.	Scholarships.	Buildings.	Special grants for Furniture and Apparatus.	Miscellaneous.	Total.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1. Institutions — For Males ...	..	...	14,813	11,612	1,380	..	27,805	.	...	2,303	2,577	320	470	1,992	7,662	35,437	
For Females .	...	..	...	1,010	..		1,010	..		...	..		..	..	..	1,010	
Total	..		14,813	12,622	1,380	.	28,815		...	2,303	2,577	320	470	1,992	7,662	36,477	
2. (a) Percentages * of Provincial Expenditure included in columns 2—17 to Total Provincial Expenditure on Public Instruction	...	.	47·7	22·8	6·7		77·2	.		11·1	4·3	1·5	...	5·9	22·8	100	
(b) Percentages * of Local Fund Expenditure in columns 2—17 to Total Local Fund Expenditure on Public Instruction			...	88·	·5	...	88·5		...	1·5	3·8	.	6·2	...	11·5	100	
(c) Percentages * of Municipal Expenditure included in columns 2—17 to Total Municipal Expenditure on Public Instruction	...	..	21·7	78·3	...	...	100	...	.	.		...	..	...		100	
(d) Percentages * of Total Expenditure in columns 2—17 to Total Expenditure on Public Instruction .	...		40·6	34·3	3·7	..	78·9	..	...	6·3	7·5	·8	1·2	5·3	21·1	100	
3. Average annual † cost of educating each Pupil in—			R A P.	R. A. P	R. A P		R A P.										
Departmental Institutions — Cost to Provincial Revenues .		.	26 4 1	21 6 9	104 3 8	...	26 8 0										
Cost to Local and Municipal Funds...	..	.	...	1 13 2	1 14 9	..	1 13 3										
Total Cost .	..	..	36 4 8	3 14 11	106 2 5	..	8 10 3										
Local Fund Schools ‡ — Cost to Provincial Revenues ...		...	...	...	...	...	..										
Cost to Local Funds	...	...	...	...	...	...	..										
Total Cost ..		...	..	...	..	...	...										
Municipal Schools ‡ — Cost to Provincial Revenues ..	...	...	.	...	..	...	...										
Cost to Municipal Funds ..	...	...	4 15 7	4 9 5	..	...	4 10 9										
Total Cost .	..	...	14 0 0	5 12 1	...	...	7 8 2										
Institution in Native State — Cost to Native State Revenues ..	...	...	...	..	.	...	...										
Cost to Municipal Funds ..	...	...	.	...	.	...	...										
Total Cost.	...	.		...	...	...	...										
Aided Institutions — Cost to Provincial Revenues	...	...	78 15 2	5 4 8	...	...	15 5 0										
Cost to Local and Municipal Funds	...	...		0 15 1	..	...	0 15 1										
Total Cost		...	128 2 5	12 1 2	...	...	27 3 2										
Unaided do ... ... Total Cost ..	.	...	...	..	...	..	..										
All Institutions — Cost to Provincial Revenues .		...	29 7 8	9 13 9	104 3 8	...	25 8 3										
Cost to Local and Municipal Funds ..	...	..	4 15 7	2 2 9	1 14 9	...	5 13 9										
Total Cost ..	.	..	36 10 8	4 7 7	106 2 5	...	8 11 3										

* The percentage required for 2 (a), 2 (b), 2 (c), are to be calculated from the figures given in columns 7 (a), 7 (b), 7 (c), respectively of General Table IV.

† The annual cost is calculated on the direct expenditure only. The average cost of educating each pupil is obtained by dividing the direct expenditure by the average number on the rolls monthly during the year.

‡ The average cost of educating each pupil in Local Fund and Municipal Schools to be obtained from the figures given in General Table VII.

§ Fractions of a rupee should be omitted, except in the columns showing the average annual cost of educating each pupil.

IV. B. EDUCATION.

3. Return of Colleges, Schools and Scholars in Coorg for the official year 1886—87.

Class of Institutions.	Public Institutions. Under Public Management. Maintained by the Department. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Maintained by Local Fund and Municipal Boards. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Maintained by Native States. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Under Private Management. Aided by the Department or by Local Fund or Municipal Boards. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Unaided. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Grand Total of Public Institutions.	Grand Total of Scholars on the 31st March.	Number of Scholars on the 31st March learning— English.	A Classical Language.	A Vernacular Language.	Classification of Scholars on the 31st of March according to Race or Creed. Europeans and Eurasians.	Native Christians.	Hindus [not Coorgs.]	Mohammedans.	Coorgs.	Others.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27a	27b	27c	27d	27e	27f	28
Arts Colleges.																																
English																																
Oriental ..																																
Colleges or Departments of Colleges for Professional Training.																																
Law																																
Medicine																																
Engineering																																
Total																																
Secondary Schools.																																
For Boys ... English ..	1	332	307	257	1	90	77	66	..	...			1	19	20	16					3	441	441	4	422	19	6	107	9	296	4	434 Boys + 7 Girls.
Vernacular ..																																
For Girls .. English ..																																
Vernacular ..																																
Total ...	1	332	307	257	1	90	77	66		...	..		1	19	20	16					3	441	441	4	422	19	6	107	9	296	4	
Primary Schools.																																
For Boys	61	2,656	2,418	1,578	5	302	274	211		..	...		2	84	77	64					68	3,042	145	..	3,042	..	69	736	132	1,974	131	2,613 Boys + 429 Girls.
For Girls	...	...		..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..		3	61	50	37					3	61	7	...	61		32	24	...	4	1	111 Boys + 50 Girls.
Total	61	2,656	2,418	1,578	5	302	274	211	..	...	...		5	145	127	101			..		71	3,103	152		3,103		101	760	132	1,978	132	2,624 Boys + 479 Girls.

Schools for Special Instruction.																											
Training Schools for Masters	1	13	13	12		...	..	..	...	...	..				..	..	1	13		13	13	...	..	5	...	8	...	13 Boys.
Do for Mistresses ..																											
Schools of Art																											
Law Schools ..																											
Medical Schools																											
Engineering and Surveying Schools																											
Industrial Schools ..																											
Other Schools																											
Total	1	13	13	12		..			...						.	...	1	13		13	13	...	..	5	...	8	...	
Total of Colleges and Schools of Public Instruction	63	3,004	2,738	1,847	6	392	331	277			6	164	147	117		.	75	3,557	593	17	3,538	19	107	872	141	2,282	136	436 girls in Boys' schools 11 boys in Girls' schools.
Private Institutions ..... 1. Advanced Teaching—																											
(a) Arabic or Persian																											
(b) Sanskrit																											
(c) Any other Oriental Classic																											
2. Elementary, Teaching a Vernacular only or mainly — For Boys																	19	313	...	.	313	..	6	123	37	122	25	275 boys+38 girls.
2. Elementary, Teaching a Vernacular only or mainly — „ Girls																											
3. European and Eurasian Schools not conforming to Departmental Standards. — „ Boys																											
3. European and Eurasian Schools not conforming to Departmental Standards. — „ Girls ..																											
4. Other Schools not conforming to Departmental Standards. — „ Boys ..																											
4. Other Schools not conforming to Departmental Standards. — „ Girls ..																											
Total																	19	313	..	...	313	..	6	123	37	122	25	38 girls in Boys' schools. „ boys in Girls' „
Grand Total																	94	3,870	593	17	3,851	19	113	995	178	2,404	161	474 girls in Boys' schools 11 boys in Girls' do.

IV. B EDUCATION

3. Return of Schools for Europeans and Eurasians in Coorg for the official year 1886—87.

	Public Institutions Under Private Management Aided by the Department				Number of Scholars on the 31st March learning—			Classification of Scholars on the 31st March according to race or creed			Remarks.
	No. of Institutions.	No. of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Average No. on the Rolls monthly during the year	Average Daily Attendance	English.	A Classical Language	A Vernacular Language.	Europeans and Eurasians	Hindus.	Native Christians.	
Secondary Schools.											
For Boys ... English	1	19	20	16	19	4		19			13 Boys and 6 Girls.
Vernacular	..				..						
Total	1	19	20	16	19	4		19			

IV. B EDUCATION.

4. Return of Expenditure on Public Instruction in Coorg for the official year 1886—87.

| Object of Expenditure | Public Institution. | | |

Schools for Special Instruction																																			
School Education, Special. — Training School for Masters ...	1,355	25	...	...	...	1,380	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,355	25	...	...	...	1,380
Training School for Mistresses ...																																			
School of Arts																																			
Law Schools																																			
Engineering and Surveying Schools																																			
Industrial Schools																																			
Other Schools																																			
Total ...	1,355	25				1,380	...	...																				1,355	25	...	...	...	1,380
University																																			
Direction																																			
Inspection	2,226	77				2,303	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,226	77	...	...	...	2,303
Scholarships held in— Arts Colleges ...	690	...	...	...	1,410	2,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	690	...	...	...	1,410	2,100
Professional Colleges	185	180				365	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	185	180	...	...	...	365
Secondary Schools ...	...	...	...	...	112	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	112	112
Primary Schools ...																																			
Special Schools other than Training Schools ...																																			
Buildings					...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320	...	...	...	...	...	320	...	...	...	320	...	...	...	...	320
Furniture and Apparatus—Special grant only ...		290	...	...	180	470	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	290	...	...	180	470
Miscellaneous	1,200	...			635	1,835	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	157	157	...	...	...	1,200	...	...	...	792	1,992
Total ...	4,301	547			2,337	7,185	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320	...	...	...	...	157	477	...	...	...	4,621	547	...	...	2,494	7,662
Total Expenditure on Public Instruction ...	17,659	4,652	...	4,199	2,337	29,247	...	1,641	1,014	...	2,655	...	...	...	...	...	2,571	...	120	1,018	...	866	4,575	...	...	...	20,230	4,652	1,761	6,631	3,203	36,477

IV. B. EDUCATION.

4. Return of Expenditure on the School for Europeans and Eurasians in Coorg for the official year 1886—87.

Object of Expenditure	Public Institutions. Under Private management Aided by the Department. Provincial Revenues.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowment and other sources.	Total.	Remarks.
Secondary Schools.						
For Boys. English ...	1,579	984	..	...	2,563	
For Boys. Vernacular ...		...	.	..	.	
Buildings ...	320	.	...	...	320	
Furniture and Apparatus (special grants only) ...	.	...	.	..	...	
Miscellaneous ...		...	...	157	157	
Grand Total	1,899	984		157	3,040	

IV. B. EDUCATION.

5. Return of the Stages of Instruction of Pupils in Public Schools for General Education in Coorg at the end of the official year 1886—87.

Class of Schools.			Number of Schools.	Number of Pupils on the Rolls on the 31st March.	High Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Secondary (Middle) Stage, but have not passed the Matriculation Examination. 1			Middle Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Lower Secondary (Middle) Stage. 2			Upper Primary Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage. 3			Lower Primary Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have not passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage. Reading Printed Books. 4			Lower Primary Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have not passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage. Not reading Printed Books. 5			Total.		
					Boys.	Girls	Total	Boys.	Girls.	Total	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys	Girls.	Total.
Secondary Schools—																						
For Boys	Departmental	English	1	332	50		50	150	1	151	35	..	35	96	...	96	.	..	..	331	1	332
		Vernacular																				
	Local Fund	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Municipal	English	1	90	..	.	..	48		48	17	..	17	25	..	25	.	.	...	90	...	90
		Vernacular																				
	Native States	English	1	19	..	..	..	6	2	8	2	2	4	5	2	7	...	..	...	13	6	19
		Vernacular																				
	Aided	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Unaided	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Total		3	441	50	...	50	204	3	207	54	2	56	126	2	128			...	434	7	441
For Girls	Departmental	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Local Fund	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Municipal	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Native States	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Aided	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Unaided	English																				
		Vernacular																				
	Total																					
Total Secondary Schools			3	441	50		50	204	3	207	54	2	56	126	2	128		.	...	434	7	441
Primary Schools—																						
For Boys	Departmental		61	2,656	...	...	...		.	.	586	63	649	1,697	287	1,984	21	2	23	2,304	352	2,656
	Local Fund																					
	Municipal		5	302		...	..	...	...	..	75	15	90	171	41	212	.	...	...	246	56	302
	Native States																					
	Aided		2	84	...	..	..	...	...	...	19	12	31	44	9	53	.	...	.	63	21	84
	Unaided																					
	Total		68	3,042					.		680	90	770	1,912	337	2,249	21	2	23	2,613	429	3,042
For Girls	Departmental																					
	Local Fund																					
	Municipal																					
	Native States																					
	Aided		3	61				...	...	...	1	6	7	10	44	54	...	...	...	11	50	61
	Unaided																					
	Total		3	61	.	...	...	...	..	...	1	6	7	10	44	54	...	...	..	11	50	61
Total Primary Schools			71	3,103	...	..	...	...	...	...	681	96	777	1,922	381	2,303	...	...	...	2,624	479	3,103
Grand Total			74	3,544	50	...	50	204	3	207	735	98	833	2,048	383	2,431	21	2	23	3,058	483	3,544

IV. B. EDUCATION.

5. Return of the Stages of Instruction of Pupils in the Public Schools for Europeans and Eurasians in Coorg at the end of the official year 1886—87.

Class of Schools.	Number of Schools.	Number of Pupils on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Middle Stage. Comprising all pupils who have passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage, but have not passed the Lower Secondary (Middle Stage.)			Upper Primary Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Lower Secondary Stage.			Lower Primary Stage. Comprising all pupils who have not passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage. Reading Printed Books.			Lower Primary Stage. Comprising all pupils who have not passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage. Not reading Printed Books.			Total.		
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Secondary Schools.																	
For Boys — Aided — English	1	19	6	2	8	2	2	4	5	2	7	...	..	...	13	6	19
For Boys — Aided — Vernacular																	
Total	1	19	6	2	8	2	2	4	5	2	7	...	...	...	13	6	19

IV. B. EDUCATION.

6. Return showing the Results of Prescribed Examinations during the official year 1886—87.

Nature of Examination.	Number of Institutions sending Examinees.				Number of Examinees.					Number Passed.					Race or Creed of Passed Scholars.					
	Institutions under Public Management	Aided Institutions.	Other Institutions.	Total.	Under Public Management.	Aided Institutions.	Other Institutions.	Private Students.	Total.	Institutions under Public Management	Aided Institutions.	Other Institutions.	Private Students.	Total.	Europeans and Eurasians.	Native Christians.	Hindus. (not Coorgs.)	Mohammedans.	Coorgs.	Others.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16a	16b	16c	16d	16e	16f
Arts Colleges—																				
1 Master of Arts ...																				
2 Bachelor of Arts ..																				
3 B. Sc.																				
4 First B. A.																				
First B. Sc...																				
First Arts																				
Previous Examination																				
Colleges for Professional Training—																				
Law—																				
1 Doctor of Law ...																				
2 Bachelor of Law ...																				
Medicine—																				
1 M. D.																				
2 M. B.																				
3 L. M. S.																				
4 First M. B																				
First L. M. S.																				
Engineering—																				
1 M. C. E.																				
2 B. C. E.																				
3 L. C. E.																				
4 First L. C. E...																				
Schools of General Education—																				
Matriculation ... Boys	1	..	...	1	14	...	...	11	25	8	...	...	...	8	...	...	4	...	4	...
Matriculation ... Girls																				
Public Service Certificate Examination (Middle School Examination) English ...	1	..	...	1	34	...	.	19	53	14	...	...	9	23	...	...	5	...	18	...
Public Service Certificate Examination (Middle School Examination) Vernacular ...	1	.	..	1	10	...	...	...	10	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	3	...	3	...
Schools of Special Instruction—																				
1 Training School Examination for Masters Upper* ...	1	...	...	1	6	...	...	...	6	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	4	...	1	...
1 Training School Examination for Masters Lower ..																				
2 Training School Examination for Mistresses Upper .																				
2 Training School Examination for Mistresses Lower ...																				
3 Shool of Art Examination .																				
4 Examination in Engineering ..																				
5 Vernacular Medical Examination ..																				
6 Examination in Surveying ...																				
7 Industrial School Examination ...																				

* Special Upper Primary Examination.

Objects of Expenditure.	Expenditure of Local Fund Boards on Public Instruction. In Institutions maintained by Local Fund Boards. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st of March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year	Average Daily Attendance.	Provincial Grants.	Local Rates or Cesses.	Municipal Grants.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	In Institutions maintained by— The Department.	Municipal Boards.	Private Persons or Associations.	Total Local Fund Expenditure on Public Instruction.	Expenditure of Municipal Boards on Public Instruction. In Institutions maintained by Municipal Boards. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Provincial Grants.	Municipal Rates.	Local Fund Grants.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	In Instns. maintained by The Department.	Local Fund Boards.	Private Persons or Associations.	Total Municipal Expenditure on Public Instruction.	Total Expenditure of Local Fund and Municipal Boards on Public Instruction.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
University Education.																																
Arts Colleges.																																
English																																
Oriental																																
Colleges or Departments of Colleges for Professional Training.																																
Law																																
Medicine																																
Engineering																																
Total ...																																
School Education, General.																																
Secondary Schools																																
For Boys { English																1	90	77	66	...	383		695	..	...	1,078	...	...	...	383	383	
For Boys { Vernacular																																
For Girls .. { English ...																																
For Girls { Vernacular ..																																
Total ...	..	...	.	...		..			..	...	.		...	..	.	1	90	77	66	...	383	.	695	.	...	1,078	..	...	...	383	383	
Primary Schools																																
For Boys	..	...		.		.	.	..	.	.	...	4,080	..	..	4,080	5	302	274	211	...	1,258	. .	319	..	..	1,577	...	...	...	1,258	5,338	
For Girls	...		.							..	...	..	...	..	.		..	...	..	...	.	..	...		..	.	...	...	120	120	120	
Total ...	..	...	. .		..		..					4 080	..	..	4,080	5	302	274	211	..	1,258		319	..	..	1,577	...	...	120	1,378	5,458	
School Education, Special.																																
Schools for Special Instruction.																																
Training Schools for Masters ...	..	...	.	...		..	..	...	..	.	..	25	.	..	25	..	...	.	...	. .	...	. .	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	
Training Schools for Mistress ...																																
Schools of Art ...																																
Law Schools																																
Medical Schools																																
Engineering and Surveying Schools .																																
Industrial Schools ...																																
Other Schools																																
Total ...		...			. ..	.			.			25	.	.	25		.	.	...	..	.	...	.	..		..	...	..	...	...	25	
Inspection.																																
Scholarships held in																																
Arts Colleges	...	...		...	..	...		.	..		..	77			77	..	..		...	..	...		...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	77	
Professional Colleges ...	...	.		...	...				.	.		180	..	...	180	.	...	.	.	..		.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	180	
Secondary Schools																																
Special Schools other than Training Schools ...																																
Primary Schools																																
Buildings																																
Furniture and Apparatus (Special Grants only) ...	...	...	...	. .		.	..	..	..		...	290	...	.	290	..	...		...	...	..	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	290	
Miscellaneous																																
Total....	..	..	.	...	...	. .		..	..	.	...	547	...	...	547	...	...	.	...	.	.	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	547	
Grand Total	.	..	...	...	. .		...	...	..	...	.	4,652	...	...	4,652	6	392	351	277	..	1,641	...	1,014	.	.	2,655	...	...	120	1,761	6,413	

V. STATISTICS OF LIFE.

A. BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES.

Return showing Births, Deaths and Marriages among the population of any place or in any class in respect of which particulars may have been ascertained during the year 1886—87 and the average age at which death occurred.

Races or Class.	Population of place or number of class.	Number of Marriages during the year.	Number of births during the year.	Number of deaths during the year.	Average age at time of death.
Mercara	8,383	45	101	142	32
Virajendrapet	4,576	38	60	78	30
Kodlipet	856	21	23	19	25
Sanivarsante	733	8	10	12	20
Somwarpet	1,528	25	12	34	30
Fraserpet	1,310	20	13	43	35
Total ..	17,386	157	219	328	

V. B. DISPENSARIES.

1. *Statement showing the Number of Dispensaries in the Province of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Population of the Province	Dispensaries.	Number open on 31st December.	Number opened during the year	Number closed during the year.	Number open on the last day of the year.	Remarks.
1,78,302	1st Class	..	..	...	...	
	2nd Class	2	..	...	2	
	3rd Class	..	..	...	...	
	Total.....	2	..	...	2	

2. *Statement showing the Number of In-door and Out-door Patients treated in the Dispensaries of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3	4												5				6
			In-door Patients.												Out-door Patients.				
			a	b	c	d	e	f	g		h				a	b	c	d	
Name of District.	Name of Dispensary.	Of what class.	Total treated during the year.	Number cured.	Number relieved.	Discharged otherwise.	Died.	Ratio of deaths per cent. of total treated.	Number of beds available		Daily average number.				Number treated.			Average daily attendance.	Total number of Patients treated both in-door and out-door.
									Male.	Female	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Attended personally.	Represented by friends.	Total treated.		
Coorg ...	Civil Dispensary, Mercara ..	2nd Class.	305	238	6	...	61	20·0	24	8	12·40	4·91	·78	18·09	11,283	3,976	15,259	91·76	15,564
	Do Virajendrapet	Do	269	174	12	19	58	21·5	8	8	5·43	1·46	·32	7·21	3,387	2,432	5,819	15·92	6,088
	Total	...	574	412	18	19	119	20·73	32	16	17·83	6·37	1·10	25·30	14,670	6,408	21,078	107·68	21,652

V. B. DISPENSARIES.

3. *Statement showing the Diseases of the In-door and Out-door Patients treated in the Dispensaries of the Province of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3																															4	5	
		Diseases																																Operations.	
		General Diseases.														Local Diseases.																			
		Order A, Febrile or Zymotic Diseases.				Order B, Constitutional Diseases.																													
Number.	Name of Dispensary.	Small-pox.	Malarious fever, ague and remittent.	Cholera.	Other diseases of this order.	Rheumatic affections.	Syphilitic affections.	Scrofula.	Anæmia.	Leprosy.	Phthisis.	Dropsy.	Other diseases of this order.	Ophthalmia.	Inflammation of the external ear	Goitre.	Respiratory affections.	Heart Diseases.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa	Worms.	Liver Diseases.	Spleen Diseases.	Gonorrhœa and its complications.	Abscess, boils and whitlow.	Skin Diseases.	Ulcers.	Labor, premature, natural and difficult.	Other Local Diseases	Debility and old age.	Poisons and poisoned wounds.	Injuries.	Total number of in-door and out-door patients treated in each Dispensary.	Major.	Minor.
1	Mercara ...	1	3,878	...	19	623	96	3	54	5	16	81	28	52	77		815	8	607	604	3,280	20	122	80	147	508	587	10	3,355	361	40	88	15,564	7	271
2	Virarajendrapet ..		1,829	...	5	247	38	2	121	7	5	59	2	111	43		279	12	149	111	682	16	73	58	75	443	224	2	86	61	14	234	6,088	7	68
	Total ...	1	5,707		24	870	134	5	175	12	21	140	30	163	120	..	1,094	20	756	715	3,962	36	195	138	222	951	811	12	3,441	422	54	322	21,652	14	339

V. B. DISPENSARIES.

3a. Statement showing the results of the Major Surgical Operations performed in the Dispensaries of Coorg for the year 1886.

Nature of Operation.	Remaining on 31st December.	Performed during the year.	Total.	Result.				Remaining under treatment.	Remarks.
				Cured.	Relieved.	Discharged otherwise.	Died.		
Civil Dispensary, Mercara.									
1. Amputation of right waist ..	1	...	1	1		...	...	..	By Surgeon Major Mark Robinson.
2. Hare lip	...	1	1	1	...	...		..	Do
3. Amputation of leg	..	1	1	1	.	..	...	...	Do
4. Craniotomy	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	..	Do
5. Dislocation of elbow joint ...	..	1	1	1	..	...	.		Do
6. Removal of tumor	...	1	1		..	..	1		Do
7. Division of Cicatrices .. .	...	1	1	...	...	..	...	1	Do
8. Wound abdominal with protrusion of bowels	..	1	1	...	...	..	1	...	By Hospital Assistant.
Civil Dispensary, Virajendrapet.									
1. Dislocations reduced... ...	..	4	4	4	..	...	...	..	One by Assistant Surgeon K. Appiah and 3 by Hospital Assistant C. Ramakrishna Naidu.
Child extracted by Forceps ...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	..	By Assistant Surgeon K. Appiah.
Craneotomy performed ...	.	1	1	1	...	.	...	...	Do
Excision of tumor	.	1	1	1	...	...	...	.	By Hospital Assistant C. Ramakrishna Naidu.
Total.....	1	14	15	12	...	...	2	1	

V. B. DISPENSARIES.

4. *Statement showing the Classes and Sexes of the In-door and Out-door Patients treated in the Dispensaries of Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3				4							5							
		Total treated during the year				Classes.							Daily Attendance.							
						a	b	c	d	e	f	g	Average Number.				Ratio per cent of—			
No.	Name of Dispensary.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Europeans.	Eurasians.	Hindus	Musulmans.			Other Classes.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
1	Mercara	7,908	3,956	3,700	15,564	3	191	12,697	2,180		...	543	46·43	23·70	21·63	91·76	50·60	25·83	23·56	99·99
2	Virajendrapet	3,879	1,143	1,066	6,088	15	107	3,733	1,209	..	.	1,024	10·04	2·98	2·90	15·92	63·06	18·72	18·21	99·99
	Total	11,787	5,099	4,766	21,652	18	298	16,430	3,339	...	...	1,567	56·47	26·68	24·53	107·68	52·44	24·77	22·78	99·99

5. *Statement showing the Income and Expenditure on account of the Dispensaries in Coorg during the year* 1886.

1	2	3																4									5	6	7
		Income.																Expenditure.											
		a.	b							c		d		e		f		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h				
			From Government.							Contributions.				Subscriptions.															
Number.	Name of Dispensary.	Cash Balance on 1st January.	As Salaries.	As registers and forms.	As European medicines.	For diet of Police cases.	Sale of medicines.	Special allowance given by Government.	Total.	From Local or other Funds.	From Municipal Funds.	Interest on investments.	Sale of securities or withdrawal of deposits.	From Europeans.	From Natives.	Total Income.	On Establishment.	On Bazaar medicines.	On European medicines whether from Government store or purchased.	On diet.	On miscellaneous charges.	On building or repairs.	Invested during the year.	Total Expenditure during the year.	Cash Balance on 31st December.	Average cost of each diet.	Percentage of total cost paid by Government.
1	Mercara Civil Dispensary ...		...	...	.	580 6 1	74 14 9	.	655 4 10	600 0 0	2,943 15 4	140 0 0	...	839 6 8	587 7 3	2,946 3 3	1,605 9 8	18 4 0	1,803 8 5	1,814 3 7	544 8 5	150 0 0	...	5,746 2 1	...	0 2 6	Not shown as the Dispensaries are maintained by the Municipalities.
2	Virajendrapet Do ..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	1,200 0 0	1,734 4 3	...	..	...	11 15 0	2,946 3 3	2,158 1 2	7 4 0	278 0 8	388 14 10	113 14 7	...	...	2,946 3 3	...	0 1 6		
	Total	...	...	.	...	580 6 1	74 14 9		655 4 10	1,800 0 0	4,678 3 7	140 0 0	...	839 6 8	579 6 3	8,692 5 4	3,763 10 10	25 8 0	2,081 9 1	2,203 2 5	658 7 0	150 0 0	...	8,692 5 4	...	0 4 0		

PART. II.

Account of Invested Capital of the Dispensaries in Coorg during the year 1886.

No.	Name of Dispensary.	Balance on 1st January.			Invested during the year.			Total.			Securities sold.			Deposits withdrawn.			Balance on 31st December.		
1	Civil Dispensary, Mercara	4,000	0	0	...	.	...	4,000	0	0	...	...	...	1,000	0	0	3,000	0	0
2	Do Virajendrapet	1,900	0	0	...	...	...	1,900	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,900	0	0
	Total.....	5,900	0	0	...	...	...	5,900	0	0	...	...	...	1,000	0	0	4,900	0	0

V. C. VACCINATION.

1. *Statement showing Particulars of Vaccination in the Province of Coorg during the year* 1886—87.

No.	Circles and Districts.	Population of District according to Census of 1881.	Average population per square mile.	Average number of Vaccinators employed throughout the season.	Total number of persons vaccinated.			Average number of persons vaccinated by each Vaccinator.	Primary Vaccination.				Re-vaccination.		Percentage of successful cases.		Persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 of population.	Average annual number of persons successfully vaccinated during previous five years.		Average annual number of deaths from small-pox during previous five years.	
									Total.	Successful.			Total.	Successful.	Primary.	Re-vaccination.		No.	Ratio per 1,000.	No.	Ratio per 1,000.
										Under 1 year.	Over 1 and under 6 years.	Total of all ages.									
1	2	3	4	5	6			7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
					Male.	Female.	Total.														
1	Mercara	34,088	157·59	1	877	248	1,125		1,073	18	505	969	52	39	93·30	75·00	29·57				
2	Padinalknad	28,219	70·56	1	757	426	1,183		1,112	43	447	995	71	44	89·47	61·97	34·84				
3	Yedenalknad	41,370	205·36	2	680	460	1,140		1,046	49	355	980	94	70	93·69	74·46	48·53				
					642	398	1.040		1,007	40	546	952	33	26	94·53	78·78					
4	Kiggatnad	31,230	76·08	1	808	323	1,131	1,030	1,098	41	354	1,014	33	24	92·34	72·72	33·23	5,751	177·58	216·48	1·21
5	Nanjarajpatna	26,984	102·25	1	659	414	1,073		958	99	630	860	115	88	89·77	76·52	35·13				
6	Yelusavirshime	16,411	180·70	1	742	557	1,299		1,287	289	645	1,251	12	12	97·20	100·00	76·96				
7	Inspector of Vaccination	..	...	1	146	108	254		235	70	128	225	19	12	95·74	63·15	1·32				
	Total	1,78,302	112·64	8	5,311	2,934	8,245	1,030	7,816	649	3,610	7,246	429	315	92·19	73·42	42·45				
8	Mercara Municipality	8,383	...	1	321	134	455	437	455	110	215	416	..	.	91·42	...	49·61				
9	Virajendrapet do	4,576	...	1	370	49	419		314	...	232	232	105	52	73·88	49·52	62·06				
	Total.	...	...	2	691	183	874	437	769	110	447	648	105	52	84·26	49·52	54·01				
	Grand Total	1,78,302	112·64	10	6,002	3,117	9,119	1,467	8,585	759	4,057	7,894	534	367	92·53	68·72	46·33	5,751	177·58	216·48	1·21

V. C. VACCINATION.

2. *Statement showing the Cost of the Department in the Province of Coorg during the year* 1886—87.

No.	Circles and Districts.	Establishment.							Expenditure.				Paid from—					Total.	Number of all successful vaccinations and re-vaccinations.	Average cost of each successful case.
		Superintendent General.	Superintendents of Circles.	Deputy Superintendents.	Native Superintendents.	Vaccinators. 1st Class.	Vaccinators. 2nd Class.	Chaprasis and other Servants.	Pay of Establishment.	Travelling Allowance.	Contingencies.	Total Cost.	Imperial Funds.	Provincial Funds.	Local Funds.	Municipalities.	Native States.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Coorg		...	...	1		7	...	1,560	242	...	1,802	...	1,802	...	...	...	1,802	7,561	0 3 9
	Mercara	...	...	...	..	...	1	..	180	...	...	180	..	..	...	180	...	180	416	0 6 11
	Virajendrapet	...	...	...	...	...	1		180	.	...	180	...	..	..	180	...	180	284	0 10 1⅔

3. *Statement showing the Dispensary Vaccination in the Province of Coorg during the year* 1886—87.

District.	Number of Dispensaries in each District to which a Vaccinator is attached.	Average number of Vaccinators attached to Dispensary during the season.	Total number of persons vaccinated.	Average number of persons vaccinated by each Vaccinator.	Primary Vaccination. Total.	Primary Vaccination. Successful. Under 1 year.	Primary Vaccination. Successful. One and under 6.	Primary Vaccination. Successful. Total of all ages.	Re-vaccination. Total.	Re-vaccination. Successful.	Percentage of successful cases. Primary.	Percentage of successful cases. Re-vaccination.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Civil Dispensary, Mercara ...	...	...	9	9	5	4	...	5	4	4	100·00	100·00	By Surgeon Major Mark Robinson.

V. C. VACCINATION.

4. Statement showing the number of persons primarily vaccinated and the number of those persons who were successfully vaccinated in the Coorg Province in each of the undermentioned official years.

Establishment.	Persons primarily vaccinated.																			
	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.
	Years ended 31st March.																			
	1877—78		1878—79		1879—80		1880—81		1881—82		1882—83		1883—84		1884—85		1885—86		1886—87	
Government Inspector and Vaccinators	1,132	846	2,509	1,880	3,075	2,609	3,717	3,362	4,698	4,279	4,734	3,897	4,615	4,037	9,516	8,473	8,806	8,070	7,816	7,246
Municipal, Mercara	...	...	...	..	...	...	.	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	823	586	406	374	455	416
Do Virajendrapet	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	216	134	314	232
Native States	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dispensaries—Hospital Assistant	164	129	190	146	241	145	77	52	498	392	214	147	715	559	138	101	130	99	5	5
Army																				
European	37	34	17	16	29	24	26	22	30	26	23	21	36	32	9	9	12	12	20	19
Native	1,259	941	2,682	2,010	3,287	2,730	3,768	3,392	5,161	4,645	4,925	4,023	5,294	4,564	10,468	9,151	9,546	8,665	8,570	7,880
Total	1,296	975	2,699	2,026	3,316	2,754	3,794	3,414	5,191	4,671	4,948	4,044	5,330	4,596	10,477	9,160	9,558	8,677	8,590	7,899

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